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AND

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Bacteria of the Soil.

The soils of North Georgia seem to be more deficient in nitrogen than any of the other fertilizer ingredients. This being true, we must depend largely upon the work of bacteria to supply this plant food, and this can be done by growing leguminous crops.

Some have predicted a "nitrogen famine," and that it is to occur within the next forty or fifty years. Whether this be true or not there is no doubt that the drain upon the earth's supply of nitrogen is very great. One scientist now claims that he has just devised a means of extracting free nitrogen from the air, converting it into the nitrate form, he can sell it 75 per cent cheaper than the present prices. If this is made practical, it would prove a blessing to agricultural interests everywhere. Larger crops would be grown and the price of fertilizer would be reduced immensely.

The people of the United States spend annually \$15,000,000 for nitrate of soda alone. Much of this would be saved if we would only depend more upon our little friends, the bacteria of the soil, and grow more peas, clover, &c., and give them an opportunity of taking nitrogen from the air and storing it in the soil. It is estimated that after a medium crop of cow pea hay has been removed from the land, there is enough plant food left in the nodules and roots of the peas on each acre to equal in value to 150 pounds of high grade fertilizer.

By growing cow peas, or other leguminous crops, we get not only our crop of hay, but have stored up a large amount of plant food ready for the succeeding crop.

Not only will leguminous crops supply plant food to the soil, but they will grow in soil entirely deficient in nitrogen, provided the bacteria are in the soil. Plants will not grow in soils absolutely free from potash or phosphoric acid. If quartz sand be ignited to red heat, thus burning out all the nitrates, and then be planted with peas or beans, it is possible to bring the plants to full maturity without in any way allowing a particle of fixed nitrogen to find its way into the soil. On the other hand, wheat or potatoes, or crops not legumes, will die as soon as the small amount of nitrogen available from the seed is exhausted.

The nodules in which the bacteria grow vary in size from a pin head to clusters the size of a potato. At first these nodules were supposed to have been caused by the bites of worms and insects, or by conditions of the soil and various abnormal climatic effects.

The bacteria for most leguminous crops are generally distributed in the soil, but if they are not present, the growing of a leguminous crop would be of no more benefit to the soil than the growing of a crop of wheat or potatoes.

CHAS. W. DAVIS,
N. G. A. C.

Mr. J. A. Hale, the famous peach grower of Georgia, Connecticut and other states, is of the opinion that tens of thousands of the best peach trees in New England were killed by the severe cold of a few days ago. His own personal loss on his Connecticut orchards he estimates will be nearly if not quite \$25,000. In all probability Mr. Hale will extend his operations in Georgia and curtail his operations in the higher climate. It is an extremely rare thing for fruit trees in Georgia to be seriously hurt by cold.—Gainesville News.

The less a man knows about politics the more angry he gets in a political argument.

Hymn Saved His Life.

The power of a song is something wonderful at times, says the Pittsburgh Gazette. This is well illustrated by a story, and a true one, told not long ago:

The Americans who were crossing the Atlantic met in the cabin on Sunday night to sing hymns. As they sang the last hymn, "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," one of them heard an exceedingly rich and beautiful voice behind him. He looked around, and, although he did not know the face, he thought that he knew the voice. So when the music ceased he turned and asked the man if he had been in the Civil War. The man replied that he had been a Confederate soldier.

"Were you at such a place on such a night?" asked the first.

"Yes," he replied, "and a curious thing happened that night which this hymn has recalled to my mind. I was posted on sentry duty near the edge of a wood. It was a dark night and very cold, and I was a little frightened because the enemy was supposed to be very near. About midnight, when everything was very still, and I was feeling homesick and miserable and weary, I thought that I would comfort myself by praying and singing a hymn. I remember singing this hymn:

"All my trust on Thee is stayed,
All my help from Thee I bring;
Cover my defenses head
With the shadow of Thy wing.

"After singing that a strange peace came down upon me, and through the long night I felt no more fear."

"Now," said the other, "listen to my story. I was a Union soldier and was in the woods that night with a party of scouts. I saw you standing, although I did not see your face. My men had their rifles focused upon you, waiting the word to fire, but when you sang out:

"Cover my defenseless head
With the shadow of Thy wing,
I said: 'Boys, lower your rifles,
We will go home.'"

School Trustee Got Mad.

EN. NUGGET:

While the Pisgah school is going on and is as large as ever for the season, one of the trustees (A. J. Ash) has taken a very unfair scheme for some unknown cause by having all the land about the school house posted, and forbidding, even anything picked up.

So a few days ago, while two of the patrons were cutting and hauling wood from land belonging to Caleb Seabolt and Ben Ravan, for the use of the school. Ash went up and raised a row with them and said two saplings had been cut on his land, and he told one of the men he intended to prosecute him for cutting these poles and stated to them that he was a trustee and was not noticed more than a dog. If he would act like a dog he certainly would be noticed enough.

Nevertheless, the school has plenty of good wood, and will still have, and does not suffer with cold at the school house. CITIZEN.

The cost of the first census taken of the population of the United States was not quite \$45,000. The cost of the census in 1900 was \$18,145,439. The cost of the first census per head of the population was a little over one cent; in 1900 the average cost was raised to 17 cents. The decided increase in the cost is explained by the great extension of the census and of the details associated with it.

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This Space Belongs to

W. P. PRICE, Jr.,
Dealer in
General Merchandise,

DAHLONEGA, GA.
FINE SHOES A SPECIALTY.

Kisses on Interest.

T. ANTOINETTE ELDER.

It is peculiarly sad to me yet so natural that we are too forgetful of our duties to others. It costs so little to make us feel happy. Thoughtfulness is a delightful faculty. Even a pleasant word or a bright smile in this great big world amid the whirlpool of adversity as well as opulence is always cheering. Kindness is a great driving wheel. I don't believe in waiting until we are dead to put flowers on our graves. Now is the time to drop flowers along our pathway that we may know and love our friends. I prefer my flowers in life.

Not long ago I happened to hear a conversation—a father talking to his careless daughter. I sat quietly while I felt very miserable. "I want to speak to you," he said, "of your mother. It may be that you have noticed a care-worn look upon her face lately. Of course it has not been brought there by any actions of yours, still it is your duty to chase it away. I want you to get up tomorrow and get the breakfast, and when your mother comes and begins to express her surprise go right up to her and kiss her. You can't imagine how it will brighten her face. Besides you owe her a kiss or two. Away back when you were a little girl she kissed you when no one else was tempted by your fever-tainted breath and swollen face. You were not so attractive then as you are now. And through those years of childhood sunshine and shadow she was always ready to cure by the mother's magic kiss the little dirty, chubby hands whenever they were injured in the first skirmish with the rough world. And then the midnight kiss with which she roused so many bad dreams as she leaned over your restless pillow have all been on interest these long years. Of course she is not so pretty and kissable as you are, but if you had done your share of work for the last ten years the contrast would not be so marked. Her face has more wrinkles than yours, far more, but still if you were sick that face would appear as beautiful as an angel, and those wrinkles would seem bright wavelets of sunshine chasing each other over the dear face. She will leave you one of these days. Those rough, hard hands will be crossed upon her lifeless breast. Those neglected lips that gave you your first baby kiss will be forever closed, and those sad, tired eyes will be opened to eternity, and then you will appreciate your mother, but it will be too late.

CITY DIRECTORY SUPERIOR COURT.

3rd Mondays in April and October. J. J. Kinney, Judge, Cleveland, Ga. W. A. Charles, Solicitor General, Dahlonega, Ga.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

John Huff, Ordinary.
John H. Moore, Clerk.
James M. Davis, Sheriff.
E. J. Walden, Tax Collector.
James L. Heelan, Tax Receiver.
V. R. Hix, County Surveyor.
Joseph E. Brown, Treasurer.
D. C. Stow, Coroner.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

R. H. Baker, Mayor.
Aldermen: E. S. Strickland, A. E. McGee, W. B. Townsend, E. B. Vickery, T. J. Smith, W. P. Price, Jr.

Wm. J. Worley, Clerk.
Geo. W. Walker, Marshal.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

Baptist Church—Rev. W. C. Taylor, Pastor. Services Sunday at 11 and at night. Prayer meeting Thursday night.

Sunday School at 9 o'clock.

Methodist—Services every Sunday at 11 a.m. at night. Rev. J. D. Turner, Pastor. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night.

Sunday School at 9 o'clock.

Presbyterian—Services only on 1st and 3rd Sundays.

D. J. Blackwell, pastor.

Sunday School 9 a.m.

Your Heart

May Be Weak. One Person in Four Has a Weak Heart.

One of the surest signs of a weak heart is shortness of breath after exercise. Your heart is not able to pump the blood fast enough to your lungs. Some of the other signs of a weak heart trouble are: Palms in the Sides, Back and Shoulder; Painful or Weak Spots; Dry cough; Swelling of Feet and Ankles; Cold Feet and Hands.

No one can afford to allow a weak heart to go without medicine, because weak heart means poor circulation, and poor circulation means weak lungs, stomach, liver, kidneys, etc.

If, therefore, you suspect heart trouble, begin taking Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure. The Heart Cure is good for you, and it is a special aid for the heart and lungs, and will revitalize your entire system.

Finally, remember, Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is sold under a guarantee that it will do the heart good.

"I was afflicted with heart trouble for three years, and could not be appraised for eight, and without warning would fail as though shot. The attacks were sudden and violent, and would sometimes come at night, and I never knew when or where they would strike. I was afraid to be attacked, and whether I would recover or not. I consulted many physicians of the state, but finding nothing wrong, I took Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure, and began to improve. After a few weeks I was entirely cured, as I have not had another attack since. —MRS. JOHN DRESBACK, Leipzig, Ga.

FREE Write to us for Free Trial Packets of Dr. Miles' Anti Pain Pill, also New Heart Remedy for Pain, also Symptom Blank. Our Standard Remedy for Pain.

Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is the result of 35 years of experience in the treatment of diseases.

DR. MILES' NEW HEART CURE LABORATORIES, ELKHART, IND.

THE NUGGET.

DAHLONEGA, FEB. 4, 1904.

Entered at the Dahlonega, Ga., P. O.
as Second Class Matter.

Official Organ of both City and
County.

Fannie Cook, colored, died in
Atlanta last week at the ripe old
age of 105.

One candidate down in Georgia
has already paid out two hundred
dollars for postage.

"Gran" Loggins, the oldest
woman in Georgia, lives near
Gillsville. It is said that she is
120 years old.

State Health Officer H. F. Har-
ris, reporting the prevalence of
smallpox in Haralson, Carroll and
Henderson counties.

In the future wouldn't it be
well to elect all county officers who
can transact the business of the
office themselves?

Three hundred and five bales of
cotton raised on the state's prison
farm brought \$23,600. This is a
good showing for it is more than
the farm originally cost.

The Constitution now offers
another \$7500 to be given away on
guesses at the number of bales of
cotton received at all United States
ports from Sept. 1, 1903 to May
1st, 1904.

Isn't it getting about time the
democratic executive committee of
Lumpkin county was meeting and
organizing and getting ready for
business? Other counties have al-
ready acted.

The Marietta Journal, although
considerably damaged by the re-
cent fire in that city and had to be
moved to new quarters, only missed
one issue. It is a great weekly
and we are proud to see it before
us again.

The daily papers state that the
snow of Thursday was confined to
a narrow belt of 100 miles in width
running from Vicksburg to Vir-
ginia, ranging from five to ten
inches deep. It was seven and a
half inches deep in Atlanta.

The expense account of the
United States senate shows that
30,000 quinine pills were consumed
by that body during the past year.
Perhaps this explains the
deafness of some senators to the
demands of the people, says the
Aeworth Post.

The United States pension lists
now foot up nearly a million, and
instead of decreasing as the years
go by, it is still growing. Every-
body knows it is rotten with fraud,
but the office holders and political
schemers are afraid to expose it,
truthfully remarks the Cobb Coun-
ty Courier.

A movement is on foot in Ma-
con now to ask the next legislature
to pass an act making vaccination
compulsory in Georgia and fix a
penalty thereto. The present state
board of health can recommend
that people be vaccinated. That's
all. But very little use to have a
board unless it is clothed with
some power.

D. B. Leonard of Vienna, Ga.,
last Friday sold three bales of cot-
ton at 15 cents which was ginned
in the fall of 1881, probably being
the oldest lot of cotton in America.
When Mr. Leonard stored the cot-
ton he declared he would hold it
until it brought 15 cents, and this
price was offered yesterday by
Homer Williams, a buyer for E.
L. Harper, of Cordele.

By premature explosion of a
charge of dynamite Tuesday after-
noon at Shuman's camp on the
Seaboard grade, near Powder
Springs, an old negro known as
"Uncle Duck," was blown to pieces
and Thomas Shuman, contractor
in charge, was seriously injured,
as were seven laborers. It is not
thought that any of the injured
will die. Charles Shuman, a
brother of the one injured, was
instantly killed at the same spot
two weeks ago.—Aeworth Post.

A Former Lumpkin County
Citizen Heard From.

BARNARD, KAN., 1-21, '04.

I left Kansas City on the 21st
of April, 1903, for the great North
West Canada. I had a very long
trip but enjoyed it nicely to have
no acquaintances although there
were plenty of people on the road.
I went through St. Paul, Minn.,
thence miles from there to Minneapolis,
where are located the greatest
lumber and flour mills in the Uni-
ited States. There are miles of
lumber piles and some twenty odd
of the largest flour mills in the
stranger to see. Although Minn.
is almost all wheat except ruts
and streams, and that is fine tim-
ber, to the Canada line. Then it
is nearly all prairie lands.

The cities in the United States
along the line are all lighted by
electricity. On the Canada side
candles are used. Candles are us-
ed in stores, some having as many
as 50 candles in a single store.

After passing through Moose
Jaw, Canada, nothing but prairie
for five hundred miles. Plenty of
elk, antelope and wolves. We
could see as many as twenty head
of antelopes together from the
train.

They are preparing to irrigate
part of the prairie country as it is
very dry until you reach Calgary.
Here it is different. Calgary is a
beautiful city of eight thousand
population. There I saw the first
spruce pines and Canada poplars,
soft water as ever run out of
the Rocky Mountains, clean and
nice running over pebbles. From
this city I could see the Rocky
Mountains. Looked like they
were only a few miles away but
the distance is over a hundred
miles west of the city. I spent
two days there and then went to
Edmonton, two hundred miles,
I found thriving little towns all
along from ten to twelve miles
apart.

The farmers are doing well—
raise fifty bushels of wheat to the
acre, oats 125, potatoes 400, vegeta-
bles of all kinds. Cabbage sell
at one cent a pound. Turnips grow
large enough to weigh 25
pounds each. All kinds of small
grain grow there, but corn won't
bear. Makes good fodder but no
corn. Edmonton is on the north
side of the Saskatchewan River.
The banks are two hundred feet
high. They are going to build the
railroad across this river. On
North Edmonton is the line now.

I went from there back south
to Calgary. From there west 30
miles where I located, buying a
section of land. The cattle and
horses live on the range the year
round and keep fat, and no flies
to bother them. They ship cattle
off of the grass in April and May
weighing from 1500 to 2000 pounds
three years old.

Railroad land is from six to ten
dollars per acre, but a person can
homestead 160 acres for ten dol-
lars and live on it three years and
get a dead.

I write this to you so I would
not have to write so many, as
they all wanted me to tell them
about Canada.

J. H. ABERCROMBIE.

Republicans, Take Notice.

The republicans of Lumpkin
county are requested to meet in
the court house on the 20th day of
February, 1904, it being the third
Saturday in this month at 10
o'clock, for the purpose of electing
delegates to the District and
State conventions, and any other
business that may come before it.

B. F. ANDERSON, Chmn.
Republican Ex. Com. Lumpkin Co.

Frank Hughes, Ab Boling and
Cairo Ensley, who went to Knox-
ville several days ago to secure a
job, returned home the first of the
week. They were forced to re-
turn home without hitting a lick
on account of the prevalence of
smallpox there. They informed
us that there was something like
200 cases in the post house.—Un-
ion County Banner.

A Negro Captured in a Chim-
ney.

It is reported that down in
Gwinnett county recently a negro
saw a planter with a large amount
of money in bills place them
in a trunk at home. This negro
secured the services of two other
negroes to assist him in getting it.

The three negroes climbed to the
top of the roof of the house, there
attached a rope to the body of one
who knew where the money
was placed and let him down the
chimney. The darkies got about
their work most too early, for as
soon as the bare feet of the de-
scending negro touched the hearth-
stone a splatter of sparks and cinders
arose round his bare legs. His
struggles awakened the owner of
the house, who was amazed to
see a pair of black legs dancing in
the hot embers on the earth. He
made an assault upon the legs with
a stout stick, but the cries of the
darky caused him to desist. When
discovered, the negro's two accom-
plices made their escape and the
rope dropped down the chimney.

The negro became wedged tightly
in his prison and a large portion
of the brick had to be removed be-
fore he was extricated, with badly
blistered feet. All three negroes
are now in jail. The question has
been raised as to what crime the
negro can be indicted for, as neither
burglary, larceny, trespassing,
nor disturbing the peace seem to
cover the case. There would have
been no question about it had that
planter built up a large fire and
smoked the would be thief to death.
This he ought to have done.

Wanted: 50 Men and Women.

Dr. C. H. Jones, the enterprising
druggists, is advertising today for
five men and women to take ad-
vantage of the special half-price
offer he is making on Dr. Howard's
celebrated specific for the cure of
constipation and dyspepsia, and get
a fifty cent package at half-price,
25 cents.

So positive is he of the remarkable
power of this specific to cure
these diseases, as well as sick headaches
and liver troubles, that he agrees to refund the money to any customer whom this medicine does
not quickly relieve and cure.

With Dr. Howard's specific at
hand you can eat what you want
and have no fear of ill consequences.
It strengthens the stomach, gives
perfect digestion, regulates the bowels,
creates an appetite, and makes life
worth the living.

This is an unusual opportunity
to obtain 60 doses of the best
medicine ever made for half its regular
price, with the personal guarantee
of a well known business man to re-
fund the money if it does not give
satisfaction.

If you cannot call at Dr. Jones'
store today, send him 25 cents by
mail, and he will send you a package,
promptly, charges paid.

Dr. Jones has been able to secure
only a limited supply of the specific,
so great is the demand, and you
should not delay taking advantage
of the liberal offer he is making this
week.

Mr. M. L. Seabolt writes us
that he is going to be a candidate
for clerk of the Superior court.
Watch out for his announcement.

Billie Green, colored, died out
at his home a few miles from Dahl-
onega this week. He was harm-
less and always stayed in a ne-
gro's place.

If you wish to subscribe for the
Atlanta Daily News we will send
and get it for you. It is one of
the best and cheapest evening pa-
pers in Georgia and will keep you
posted on every thing of interest
throughout the entire country up
to going to press.

The directors of the Lynchburg
cotton mill ordered a cut in wages
of 10 per cent., to take effect first
of this month. Its operators num-
ber 650. So the high price of
cotton is of no benefit to laborers
after all. They pay more for cot-
ton goods and have less money to
give for them. Look at Gaines-
ville. One thousand hands are
out of employment now on account
of the Paocet mills closing down.
The high price of cotton caused it.

IT IS A MATTER OF HEALTH



Eggs are worth from 50 to 60
cents a dozen in New York.

Georgia's roll now contains
nearly 15,000 pensioners.

Still another fire in Chicago last
week. The loss was only \$75,000
this time.

A shipment of 3,600 bales of
cotton was made from Texas to
Japan last week.

Exports to Russia from the
United States last year amounted
practically twenty million dollars.

Six persons were indicted by
the grand jury of Fulton county
last week, charged with selling co-
caine.

Dr. E. W. Watkins, candidate
for congress from this, the Ninth
District, will address the people at
Dahlonega next Monday, the 8th
day of February, 1904, at 11
o'clock, upon the general issues of
the day. Everybody invited to
come.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Georgia, Lumpkin County.
Will be sold before the Court house
door of the County of Lumpkin on the
8th day of March next, within
the legal hours of sale to the highest
bidder for cash, the following property,
to wit:

One pair of dark mouse colored
man's Levied on the property of T. H.
Sullins, said mules being found in the
possession of T. H. Sullins. Also one
bay horse and three acres more or less
of land, including buildings and
improvements, ready to make a person well
and happy.—JAMES HALL, JACK.

Because this green medicine
relieves stomach pains, frees the
constipated bowels and invigorates
the torpid liver and weak-
ened kidneys.

No Doctor.

is necessary in the home where
Thedford's Black Draught is
kept continually in the
house for over two years with the
doctor in the house for that length
of time. It is a safe medicine
always ready to make a person well
and happy.—JAMES HALL, JACK.

Notice is hereby given, according to
law, that an election for County
School Commissioner for Lumpkin
county will take place in the office
of the Board of Education Saturday,
6th day of February, 1904. Applicants
must be citizens of Lumpkin county,
and must file their applications with the
Board of Education. By order of the Board of
Education, W. P. PRICE, Pres't. Ed. of
Lumpkin County.

WANTED

Special Reporters, etc. In this
newspaper and additional reporters,
to represent and advertise an old estab-
lished wealthy business house of solid
financial standing. Salary \$21
weekly, with \$8 per day for expenses paid
each Monday by check direct to
the paper. Expenses advanced and
horse and buggy furnished when necessary,
position permanent. Address Blew Bros.,
600 Monroe Building, Chicago, Ill.

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FARM FOR SALE.

Three miles north of Dahlonega, on
Cooper Gap road, there is a
lot of 100 acres and forty acres,
with forty acres in cultivation, upon
which grows over eleven hundred fruit
trees, six hundred and fifty of them
pecan and English walnuts, from
twelve to twenty years old, and
over two hundred black mul-
berries. Over three hundred peach
trees, and smaller fruit trees. A gold
vein lot, 778, not prospected. Also on
the hill is a fine building.

Georgia, together with all rights of
way and other easements to be selected
in the same manner as the property
in Lumpkin county. Georgia, Levy made
to the property of Frank L. Murray
by virtue of and to satisfy a f. a. f.
for state and county in Lumpkin county
for the sum of \$1,000.00, due to
Frank L. Murray for the year
1903 issued by E. J. Walden, T. C., of
Lumpkin county. Levy made and re-
turned to me by James Whelchel, L. C.
This 1st day of February, 1904.

JAMES M. DAVIS, Sheriff.

January, 1904.

Dyspeptics

are made every day by their own
carelessness. Cure that case of Con-
stitution and Indigestion ere it's chronic. Try

RAMON'S PILLS

AND TONIC PELLETS—a remedy that assists
Nature and does not get in her way. Strong
purgatives gripe and make confirmed in-
valids. Ramon's act gently and
effect permanent cures
Complete Treatment 25 cts.

FOR SALE BY DR. C. H. JONES,

At Chicago the other day a girl
donned men's attire and tried to
call to go to the Philippines war
so she could be with her sweet-
heart. But when she was told that
she had to undergo the usual
physical examination the girl de-
cided to return home and stay
with me.

The first copper discovered at

Ducktown, was the native or black

variety, and the inexperienced na-
tives thought that it was gold.

Nor would they believe otherwise

that it was the precious yellow

metal, until a famous old gold

winner came up from Dahlonega,

Georgia, and convinced them of

the contrary. Had it been gold,

silver would now certainly be

on top rail in our financial fence.—

Ducktown Gazette.

It is contended by some that cot-
ton will reach 25 cents a pound,

but this will be of no benefit to

small farmers, as the decay staple

has already gone out of their hands.

It is in the hands of the speculator

now.

Ellen Whelechel vs.
M. C. Floyd Whelechel, Libel for di-
vorce in Lumpkin Superior Court.

To the defendant, M. C. Floyd Whelechel:

By Order of the Court, you are hereby
notified that on the 3rd day of Oc-
tober, 1903, a libel was filed against
you for divorce. Returnable to
the April term, 1904, of said court.

You are therefore required to be and
appear at the suit of Plaintiff on the
date and hour above mentioned, and
answer to the complaint of the said
Ellen Whelechel, in open court.

In default of your appearance, the Court
will proceed as to justice shall appear-
tain.

Witness the Honorable J. J. Kinney,
judge of said court. This 31st day
of January, 1904.

JOHN H. MOORE, Clerk.

ELECTION OF COUNTY SCHOOL
COMMISSIONER.

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law, that an election for County
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Dry Goods, Shoes and Clothing Store,

The Most Direct Route to

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and all other goods.

Local News

Mr. John Hatfield moved down to Gainesville this week.

Dr. Whitchel left for New York last Sunday to be gone a month.

Mr. John Moore was housed up for several days last week with a slight attack of appendicitis but is up and out again attending to his business.

Snow fell here last Thursday to a depth of six or seven inches and the young people enjoyed themselves snow balling and hunting rabbits.

Messrs. Ashley and VanVleck, who are mining for mica up in the mountains of this county, were registered at Hall's Villa several this week.

The patronage we have received so far this year is much better than we expected. Thank you, gentlemen, we will use our utmost endeavors to give you the worth of your money.

The snow caught several of our citizens out of wood last week, causing them to hustle about until they were supplied. They seem to be going according to a portion of scripture which says, "let every day provide for itself."

A son of Mr. John Marlow of this county, killed a large otter the other day. This kind of game is very valuable as he has received notice from a firm in Louisville, Kentucky, stating that otter hides were worth from eight to nine dollars and a half.

The time for bidding on the Wild daily mail in this county ended last Sunday. Some five or six bids were sent off. This is for the carrying of the mail by Wild out to Stay until the first of July. Then Mr. Charlie Beasley has the contract of carrying it for the next four years.

Valentines—we have the nicest line ever shown in Dahlonega, 1 cent up. Nice moustache cups, 25c; one pint bottle vasoline, 10c; shaving mugs, 25c; alarm clocks, 75c to \$1.25; double cotton blankets, \$1.10; men's sweaters, 50c; heavy work shirts, 50c; heavy outing flannel, 10c; men's caps, 25c; fascinators, shawls and hose 25c; manilla legal cap pads, 7c. Call and see our prices.

B. E. MEADERS & SONS.

Some time ago Mrs. Eva Caloway of this county, got afraid of her husband and swore out a peace warrant against him and commenced alimony proceedings. As time passed the woman grew lonesome and became less fearful of the one she had promised to love and stick to in sickness and distress, and on Monday the lady came in, paid up the cost, and both are as happy again as they were the day they wedded.

There is an ordinance against obstructing the side walks or streets with wood or anything else, or sweeping paper out on the streets, and hereafter this ordinance will be forced against the perpetrators without further notice. Persons having wood thrown on the streets must cut it up and carry it away at once, otherwise they may expect to have to go before the mayor.

Geo. W. WALKER,
Marshal.

Mr. G. H. McGuire purchased an old Grand-Father Clock last week from Mr. W. W. Garner of this county that is over a hundred years old. The clock is six feet and ten inches high, made of wood, wheels and all, except the big heavy weights, one of them weighing at least fifteen pounds. This old clock is certainly a curiosity to those who never saw one. It has belonged to several different families since its construction. It first belonged to Jerry Payne. At his sale it was purchased by Ed O'Kelly, and before purchased by Mr. Garner it was sold to the parties as their names are given: Benji Fields, Bluford McDonald, Asbury McDonald, James Flanigan and Dan Gilbert. We think every person who owned this old clock is dead except Mr. Garner.

Mr. Frank Worley has gone to Beaver Ridge, Tenn., to live.

Go to W. P. Price, Jr., and get some of those nice butter beans to cook.

Mr. Joe Moose of this county, is selling out for the purpose of moving to Alabama.

Henry Elrod, colored, was given thirty days for a plain drunk some time ago on one Sunday.

Mr. Taylor Wimpy, who left this county many years ago to the West, is now in Dexter, Texas.

The big snow was quite an interesting sight to the students residing in South Georgia and Florida.

George Sissom, the mail carrier from here to Gaddistown, reported the snow to be ten inches deep last Thursday across the Blue Ridge.

Mr. Jarrard at Natal, Ga., says he doesn't get his NUGGER regularly. There is some negligence along the line which had better be stopped.

Don't talk about dull times so much. Advertise in THE NUGGER, which will cause you to get a good trade, if in business, and cause you to be prosperous.

The telephone line after so long a time, was put into talking order to Dawsonville last Thursday afternoon, and Brother Thomas of the Advertiser, sent the first message over it.

Part of a load of green apples from across the Blue Ridge sold at thirty cents or \$2.50 a bushel here all last week. This ought to convince all the farmers that it will pay them to raise fruit.

Last Thursday Marion Edmonson broke a lock at the caboose and got his shackles off. He was soon rigged up again by the marshal, and that night his father paid his fine and took him out.

Send in your announcements if you expect to run for office and let the voters have time to make their selection. It won't cost you any more now than it will a week before the primary or election.

Our Union county informant was mistaken last week about the death of Mr. Bryant in Fannin county who was so badly cut with a knife by James Smith. Bryant grew worse for a while after being carried home but is improving and will get well now. Neither has Smith been arrested. He has gone away but not on account of the trouble. The above facts are gathered from Mr. Jacob Satterfield of our county, who was over to see Bryant last week.

Our old friends Bony Tank and Uncle Raots Wilson, were in town a short while the other day. They had noticed where the government was paying people for horses and mules taken from them during the civil war and they are making an effort to get pay for theirs taken from them at that time. The soldiers seized not only a good mule of Uncle Boney but carried away a hundred bushels of his corn.

The law says that parents must take care of their children, and children provide for their parents should they become destitute and unable to support themselves. This is why Judge Huff is going to make an effort to make the sons of Mrs. Mary Grizzel pay back the money to the county that is being expended to keep the old lady from perishing and freezing to death this winter. The son who brought his mother to this county some months ago and left her either sides in Hall or Jackson counties. Several have written to him about her sickness but no reply is given. It has gotten to be a common thing in this county for people to cast off their relatives on the part of the people and let the tax-payers support them. It's a shame and ought to be stopped in some manner. In order to keep Mrs. Grizzel from freezing to death while sick, Judge Huff had the old lady brought to town last Friday where she could be taken care of by Mrs. Adams, across Crane's Hill, at the expense of the county.

Mrs. J. C. Brittain was quite sick last week, but is getting all right again.

The Tahlahnekan didn't appear in January. What's the matter? Have the editors turned over a new leaf?

Mrs. John Wooly, who once lived in this county, but now resides in Union, is very sick and not expected to live.

THE NUGGER always comes out promptly. It is placed in the Dahlonega post-office early every Thursday morning.

Don't forget that W. P. Price, Jr., is agent for the National Biscuit Co., and keeps a variety of the best crackers known.

Don't wait for us to stop you NUGGER before you renew if you want to read it. Send in a dollar and let it continue without missing any copies.

From all accounts blockade liquor was the scarcest in the community last week that has been known in a long time. The snowy weather rendered moonshiners unable to make it.

The spring term of the N. G. A. College opened this week with a good attendance. Prof. W. C. Moore of Macon, Ga., will fill Prof. Steed's place in the chair of Political Economy and History, during his absence in Boston, taking another course in Harvard University.

Mr. L. G. Stowers of Dawson county, informed us the other day that he and the boys butchered 6 hogs recently, weighing on an average of 330 pounds each and has several more to kill. Mr. Stowers is very fortunate in not living in the stock law section.

Had this been the case he would not have had any big hogs to kill, had world have had his meat to bay.

Col. R. M. Bryson is the assistant county surveyor during the absence of Mr. Hix, who is in another county teaching school.

The office of the Crown Mountain Gold Mining Co. has been moved into the room next to John H. Moore's store—same building.

Mr. Doyl Moore returned from the West this week after an absence of several months. Doyl says that country is too windy to suit him.

The new pastor of the Baptist church has arrived and we most heartily welcome him to our midst. He will fill the pulpit next Sunday and Sunday night.

Col. Charters returned on Tuesday after an absence of more than a couple of weeks. After Hall Superior Court adjourned he made a business trip to Thomas county.

All persons having school books to exchange must take notice that a certificate must be pasted in each, signed by either teacher, parent or guardian, certifying that each book was in use January 1st, 1904.

On last Monday "Bunt" Tolbert, formerly of Dahlonega, was arrested in Gainesville by Chief of Police Harbinson of that place, according to instructions sent him by the marshal of Dahlonega, being wanted here on a warrant sworn out by Miss Amanda Satterfield, charging him with bastardy, and sheriff Davis brought him back yesterday and he will likely have his trial today. In less than fifteen minutes from the time the warrant was issued the young man was arrested and behind the bars.

The city council has had a lot of hitching posts put in around the court house for the benefit of our country friends. This will be a great convenience for them. Heretofore when many visited town they had to bring some along to hold their mules and horses as the marshal wouldn't let them hitch to shade trees, fences nor let them carry their animals into the stores with them. Of course there has already been kicking by one or two about putting up these posts, but Christ failed to please all the people and there is no use for a council of men to try. One man said it was going twenty years back. Wish it was. Then we had several horse racks on the square and a dozen of countrymen to one now to hitch their horses to them.

Notice the legal sales in this issue.

Feeless oranges at T. J. Smith & Bro.

Mr. Logan Campbell moved to Alabama this week.

Miss Eliza McAfee is up on a visit from Atlanta.

See T. J. Smith & Bro's cut price in clothing elsewhere.

Some of last Thursday's snow can be seen about in places here yet.

Most of our attorneys will attend Dawson Superior Court next week.

Our new subscribers for February have already commenced coming in.

The new school books recently adopted, are being received by J. F. Moore & Co.

Fodder became scarce during the snow, causing the price to advance a little.

Mr. J. F. Moore has purchased the Anslepost property, located near Prof. J. W. Boyd's.

The key to the cemetery gate will be found now in the possession of the city marshal.

The party who has the map of Dahlonega will confer a favor by returning it to the city marshal.

Another new lot of stationery just received. If you need any printing done just send in your order.

Every lot of cabbage brought in for a month or so "is the last," but we noticed some nice ones in this week.

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Enquires About the Signal.

NEW HOLLAND, Ga., Jan. 23, 1904.

ED. NUGGER:

Has the Dahlonega Signal suspended publication? I subscribed for it and some kind of a family paper together about six months ago, and as I have never received either write to you to know if the paper has quit, and if there is any chance to get my money back?

Thanking you in advance for your reply,

I am very truly

D. F. BRYANT.

REPLY.—The Signal is still running but we can't say whether you will be able to get your money or not. Subscribe for THE NUGGER if you wish the visits of a paper promptly on time weekly bring full of interesting news from the Golden City of the mountains.

Temperature Program For Next Sunday Night.

Song by congregation.

Prayer by Rev. J. B. Turner.

Duet—Mrs. Charters and Miss Maggie Crisson.

Concert—Recitation by four little girls.

Reading—Miss Nannie Wheeler.

Address—Rev. J. D. Turner.

Manager of Music Miss Crisson.

Rec.—Nellie Head.

Rec.—Leila England.

Address—Mrs. R. H. Baker.

Address—Mr. Lunsford.

Rec.—Cloud England.

Song—Congregation.

Song—Miss Grace Mighowther.

Address—Prof. Vickery.

Duet—Misses Nettie Woodward and Emma Hudlow.

Rec.—Pearl Rice.

Rec.—Carrie Brooksher.

Song.

Rec.—Miss Heard.

Song.

Mining Notes.

Our mining companies having stock for sale always invite purchasers to come and see and examine the property themselves before investing. Isn't this a fair proposition?

We have but very little to report in mining this week as the big snow and the cold wave that followed caused all development and construction work to suspend for several days.

Mr. Craig R. Arnold of the Betz mine returned last week and has been engaged in settling off all claims against the company, getting ready for business. A new lot of the latest improved machinery has been installed at the Betz and we are all anxious to see it put in motion and kept so.

Mr. Tregent of the Barlow mine was in Dahlonega last Sunday for the first time in quite a while. This gentleman is very attentive to business and spends no idle time, which accounts for the Barlow paying so well. He informed us that but two days had been lost at that mine during January.

A new discovery of gold has recently been made on property of Mr. George W. White in the upper part of this county. The vein is eighteen inches and not only pans well but shows gold in the rock. We are glad to note these new discoveries and hope to see the time when all that part of the county will be thoroughly developed and a sufficient number of stamp mills built to secure the metal.

Col. Edward Beigleman, counsel for the out going sheriff of King's county, N. Y., and one of the owners of the Etowah Gold Mining and Milling Co., of New York City, came in last week and immediately visited the "Josephine" and made a thorough investigation of the work that had been done since his last visit here. He expressed himself as being perfectly satisfied with what had been done on this splendid property toward getting it ready for the mill to begin crushing the ore. Prof. Boyd of the N. G. A. College at this place, is going to make the survey for the big water way, and it is expected that men will be put to work on the ditch this week.

Council Meeting.

The city council of Dahlonega held its regular meeting last Monday night. All members were present. After auditing several accounts the following business was transacted:

Prof. E. B. Vickery was elected mayor pro tem for the next two years.

The price of dieting prisoners was fixed at 85 cents per day.

The street committee was empowered to let the four principal roads out by contract if it was proper, namely: East Main, West Main, Gaddistown and Neister's Ford streets, one mile from the court house, which contract has been awarded to Mr. A. F. Stow, for the sum of \$74.75 for the next twelve months.

The dog ordinance was amended so as to make all dogs liable for taxation after being in the city ten days, and said tax to be collected by the marshal at the expiration of the period before mentioned, and on failure to receive said tax from the owner or keeper of said dog, the city marshal is empowered to kill it immediately.

The marshal's report was received as follows: Dog tax collected, \$25.50. Street tax, \$21.50. Fines and cost, \$21.20. Sanitary tax, \$8.05. Tax fi. fa. issued in 1901, \$6 cents. Total collected in cash, \$73.11. Amount of street tax paid in work, \$6.00.

Council then adjourned.

If a suit is what you want, now is the time to get one cheap. For the next ten days we will sell suits as follows: For cash, \$12.50 suit for \$10.00; \$10.00 suits for \$7.50; \$8.00 suits for \$6.00, and so on in proportion to price. We make this sacrifice in order to make room for our spring line. Everything else will be sold cheap for cash. Come and see for yourself and be convinced.

Safe Day.

Last Tuesday was sheriff's safe day and the following property was sold for taxes and other claims to-wit:

Lot belonging to J. P. Camp—\$98—11—2—was bought by Col. Price for \$6.50.

One-twelfth of lot 871—12—4, belonging to Hansel and Carter, by Dahlonega Gold Mining and Milling Co. for \$6.00.

Lot 469—12—1, belonging to Joseph England, bought by Col. Price for \$35.00.

Lot 899—12—1, of W. M. Boden, by John H. Moore for \$35.50.

Lot 512, of W. B. Sparks, by Col. Price for \$100.00.

All the above property was sold for its taxes.

Two lots belonging to William Spencer, 245, \$46—12—1, was sold in favor of The Bank of Dahlonega and bid off by H. D. Gurly for \$41.25.

Should Draw a Pension.

It was the intention of the legislators who passed the pension law for all ex-confederate soldiers unable to make a living for themselves to draw a pension, but some of the most needy and deserving fail to get anything from the state some times, while others who never saw a yankee until after the surrender, nor even fired a gun during the war, unless it was at a squirrel or rabbit, get aid. This is the case in Lumpkin county. In Dahlonega resides Mr. J. E. Howell, who was brave enough to go the war while only a boy, of sixteen and fight for what he believed to be right until he was captured. This poor old soldier has been declining in health for some time. He is in desolate circumstances, not able to work, and certainly deserves a pension if any soldier ever did. He made out a good claim some time ago but for some reason his pension was not allowed, although he had sufficient proof and even had his discharge from prison, but Judge Huff was so sure he would draw that he didn't send it off with his other papers. If such men as this can't get a pension the law ought to be repealed.

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The Country Newspaper.

The weekly country newspaper, as an institution, is by no means declining. If one may judge by the evidence of the recent newspaper directories, it never flourished so much as at present, declares the Boston Post. It has a character of its own. Its place cannot be filled by any metropolitan publication. It is the intimate friend of its constituents. It has the atmosphere of its locality. Its angle of vision is that of its community, and this it truly reflects. Broad questions—State, national, international—it presents and considers as a part of its work of information; but these are subordinate to its own peculiar mission. The up-rising in the Balkans, the breach in the British ministry, the scandals of the postal service at Washington, are dwarfed in actual, present importance by the wash-out on the State road or the project for a new trolley connection. And these, indeed, are the real living concerns of local life. It is the home matter that make up existence, and with these the country newspaper deals.

We do not sufficiently recognize, perhaps, how great an influence for the preservation of that spirit of local self-government which is the foundation of our institutions the country press of New England has been and is today. It is unquestionably a power. And it holds the power and retains its influence because of the sturdy honesty of the country editor. The country press is the ideal of independence. It is, as a rule, unpurchasable and incorruptible. The country newspaper has its place from which nothing can dislodge it, no quick delivery of metropolitan dailies, no fascinating pictorial. And we are glad to see indications of the growth and prosperity of this product and aid of local enterprise and local pride.

Not a Romance After All.

Eighth avenue was surprised and pleased the other day by a handsome young woman who galloped along on a spirited horse and tossed roses to the people on the sidewalks. She was clad in regular habit, and behind her galloped a groom with a big bouquet of roses in his hands, from which he supplied her as her own stock became exhausted. The people followed in joyful commotion, scrambling for the roses.

After the flowers gave out the woman turned and, galloping as before, began throwing out something else which the groom supplied her with from a bag that hung over his shoulder. Again the crowd flocked out, all expectancy. But the favors this time were samples of a new cigarette, three in a pack. The young woman did not appear half so beautiful and romantic after that.—New York Press.

The editors of this part of Georgia are taking a hand in municipal affairs. First, H. J. Rowe was elected councilman in Athens without opposition. Next, John Shannon of Commerce was unanimously chosen one of the city fathers of that municipality. Then, Craig, of the Gainesville Eagle, was made alderman of Gainesville. W. B. Townsend, editor of the Dahlonega Nugget, was sworn in as alderman of Dahlonega recently. Now Editor A. G. Lamar has been elected mayor of Winder, and W. W. Wilson has been chosen mayor of Buford. The last named gentleman is not an editor now, but he has been. There need be no apprehension now disturbing the minds of the populace as to the welfare of the cities of our land. They are safe. Just keep the country o. k., and this old mundane sphere will be on a perfect equilibrium. — Jackson County Herald.

The high price of cotton has caused the Pacolet mills to shut down at Gainesville, Ga. It consumes annually 30,000 bales of cotton, and employs, about 1,000 hands.

A LITTLE NONSENSE.

What the Child Thought of the Made Up Woman.

The modern mania for having herself made over had taken possession of the woman, and the beauty specialists were making a good thing out of her. She went through certain prescribed exercises every day.

"What's that for?" asked her daughter.

"To improve the figure," she replied.

Then the hair specialist called once a week to give her a scalp treatment and provide various "investigators" at a dollar a bottle.

"What's that for?" asked her daughter.

"To make the hair silkier, stronger and longer," she replied. "A fine head of hair is a glorious thing."

Also there was the physical culture class that she attended.

"What's that for?" asked her daughter.

"To give strength and grace," she replied. "One must be supple and graceful to show a good figure to advantage."

"I didn't know you showed it," said her daughter; but, then, children take things so literally.

Of course there were massage and the complexion specialist also to occupy some part of her time.

"What's that for?" asked her daughter.

"To remove the lines of worry and care and give a good circulation and a good color," she replied.

The daughter pondered this for some time, and then she asked:

"Don't I need some of these things?"

"No, my dear," was the reply. "You're all right as you are."

"I am?"

"Yes."

"Well, say, I guess nature didn't make a very good job of you, did she?"—Chicago Post.

An apparatus in use in Germany for purification of milk by ozonization is so constructed that the milk contained in a vessel flows thence in a thin stream into another vessel, placed below. An electric circuit is so arranged that sparking is caused through the air near it. The ozone which is thereby engendered from the oxygen of the air is said to be sufficient to kill all micro-organisms contained in the milk.

Uncle Sam has a cold storage plant at Manilla capable of holding 1,200 tons of beef, 200 tons of mutton, fifty tons of butter, 100 tons of potatoes and 100 tons of bacon. In addition to its storage capacity the plant can turn out forty tons of ice daily.

One advantage of holding the Democratic National Convention in St. Louis is that a lot of deacons can get to see the Streets of Cairo and the dancing girls by pretending that they have got to go to St. Louis on pressing political business.—Savannah News.

Young Men and Women, Attention.

The North Georgia Agricultural College, established by the state, offers the greatest and most paying investment. Tuition free, board cheap, climate healthy, discipline exact, scholarship high. It has distinguished graduates, earnest students, able teachers. It holds the championship for oratory and the finest cadet corps under a most distinguished West Point graduate.

For particulars, write to Dr. E. S. Avis, President, Dahlonega, Ga.

BARBER SHOP.

When wanting a nice clean shave, hair cut or shampoo, call on Henry Underwood. First-class barber shop in every respect, where he will be found ready to wait on you at any time.

Reformatory Needed.

If Georgia needs one thing above and beyond all else, it is a reformatory for young boys and girls who violate the law. This need we have long since recognized, but the necessity for it has been made more patent, recently, than ever. Many Georgia boys have been sent to the reform school at Nashville by parents before they became steeped in crime or so branded by a verdict of the law, and testimony from those who have returned is conclusive evidence that it makes good and useful men of them, and one thing makes assurance doubly sure is that they express a desire to return there. Georgia can do without a railroad commission better than a reformatory. We can suspend our militia better than without one. The time is ripe and something must be done by the next legislature. We can't afford to suffer the disgrace of sending young boys to prison to associate with men of crimes longstanding, and possibly incorrigible. We cry out for it.—Dalton Citizen.

A lady friend of ours describes an ideal husband as follows:

"Age about forty, character developed by this time and made secure; eyes blue; disposition when vexed, vexatious; disposition when pleased, happy; irritable from just cause, considerate always; calm exterior, heart of gold; prompt in anger and quick in forgiveness, and only one old woman in the world for him."

John Lipscomb was brought back from Greenville, S. C., last week and fined \$1,000 for running a blind tiger in Gainesville, by Judge Kinsey. There are several cases against him but the Judge agreed to suspend trial on them if he would leave the state. He paid the fine and left out.

We notice that there are some prospective candidates in this county now that are going to ask the support of the democratic party, who not only refused to go into the primary, but didn't even vote in the election afterwards. How can such men expect its support?

The Jumbo Gold Mining Co.
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Soy Bean as a Forage Crop.

Soy Bean (Glycine hispida), sometimes called Soja bean, is a leguminous plant, native of China and Japan. In Japan it is an important food plant and has been cultivated from very ancient times. Europeans cultivated it in botanic gardens for more than a century, before it attracted any attention as a plant of much economic importance. This plant has been cultivated in the United States for a number of years, but has been used as a forage crop for about fifteen years.

The bean is an annual plant, erect, with branching, hairy stems whose leaves are more or less hairy. The flowers are violet colored and rather inconspicuous; the pods are covered with reddish hair and contain from two to five seed which are spherical to elliptical and more or less compressed. The plants often reach a height of four feet or more, and may have as many as 450 seed.

CONDITION OF GROWTH.

It seems to do best on soils of medium texture that are well supplied with potash, phosphoric acid and lime. Nitrogen is not so essential, as it obtains its supply from the air. It will grow on soils too poor to grow clover, but does not do as well on very poor soils as cow peas. It has excellent drought-resisting qualities and can withstand dry weather much better than ordinary crops.

In this country the relation of the soy bean to temperature has not been thoroughly tested, but it requires something near the temperature of corn. It is not injured by frost like most plants, and for this reason, it can be planted earlier in the spring.

METHODS OF CULTURE.

The planting should be postponed until the ground is thoroughly warm. For only a crop of forage, it could be sown on land after wheat, oats or barley have been removed. In this case the earlier varieties should be used. For forage they should be sown broadcast or put in with grain drill. If they are grown for seed, they should be planted in drills from 2 to 3 feet apart, according as the soil is heavy or light. If drilled, from one-half to three-fourths of a bushel per acre can be used; but if sown broadcast more will be necessary. When drilled cultivation should begin early.

HARVESTING.

It is best to cut for hay when the beans first begin to form in the pods. Of course, if cut later than this period, the hay would contain a larger percentage of fat and protein, but the stems would be rather woody and a large portion would be rejected by the stock, hence it is doubtful if much would be gained by the later cutting.

If the harvesting is done at a later period the loss from the shattering of the leaves will be very great. The hay should be handled as little as possible, also to prevent shattering of the leaves.

The amount of forage obtained per acre varies from 10 to 18 tons, 25 to 40 bushels of seed is the average yield. The yield has reached 100 bushels per acre.

As to its digestibility and nutrient substances, the soy bean compares favorably with clover, cow peas, alfalfa and the other legumes. As a soil restorer it is equal to cow peas; the tubercles on the roots of the soy bean are much larger than those of the cow pea. Inoculation is rarely ever necessary.

The Alabama Experiment Station obtained the following results

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32 per cent of soy bean hay and 22 per cent of cow pea hay were rejected.

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Your Mother-In-Law to be.

It is a most important moment when the two women, mother and sweetheart, who best of all in the world, love one and the selfsame man are brought face to face for the first time. If you are a man contemplating matrimony, if you have found the best girl in the world, don't be rash, don't introduce her to your mother until you are quite satisfied she loves you sufficiently to desire above all else to get on well with her mother-in-law to be.

Give her time to know you at your full worth, let her reflect upon the pains of losing you, and then she will be more careful how she approaches the good lady who has in measure the keys of life and death in her hand.

And, dear girl, try your best to please the lady. For your own sake this should be done, for your relations' sake, and for your own mother's sake as well.

Remember that it is in your power to bestow upon this older woman either the crowning joy of life or the crowning pain. How anxiously she has looked forward to, and dreaded, the day when her son will say to her, "Mother, I want you to welcome a daughter." How she prays his choice may be the woman to make him happy, and how she hopes she may be a girl that she is able to get on with.

Yes, you have the power to make a chosen in a home which nothing can fill, or you may be an angel of light binding two families into one.

You may say, "Oh, I'm not going to marry his parents." "I shan't see much of them." And the girl who says that determines he shan't see much of them either.

"Of course, I shall be civil." "I mean to try and be nice and kind to them." These are the sentiments which the fiance expresses to her friends before she goes upon the customary visit of inspection.

This is not the spirit in which to sustain what must be for both sides a trying ordeal. There is no loving-kindness in it, there is nothing but the grossest selfishness.

How is a girl to behave? First of all, she should try and forget herself, forget her own doubts and fears, and think only of those of the other woman who is sitting waiting her coming.

She should think of the day which may come when she will be a mother, when she will have to face this, often the bitterest hour in a woman's life, when the son who has been the darling of my heart will bring some bright eyed girl into the room and in a thousand subtle ways show her that her sovereign is over, that she is no longer

sovereign of his destiny. Do you think it is easy to yield the son of your heart to a strange woman? It is very hard. Think of this,

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and pray that as you deal with this mother so may heaven deal with you.

How should a girl behave to her lover's mother? With gentle courtesy, with ready deference. Much, in fact, as she would behave to her own mother, only with more respect, with more consideration, because this mother is a stranger to her.

She should not obtrude the fact that she knows each little preference of her son least she seems to usurp the knowledge which is the other's. She should not ostentatiously address him by his Christian name, much less by a pet name. A touch of formal reserve. Don't put your best dress on, or your future mother-in-law may think you extravagant. Don't allow vanity to persuade you into any unsuitability of attire. Make yourself look nice, but at the same time neat.

And, dear girl, try your best to please the lady. For your own sake this should be done, for your relations' sake, and for your own mother's sake as well.

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Sunday School at 9 o'clock.

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THE NUGGET.

DAHLONEGA, FEB. 11, 1904.

Entered at the Dahlonega, Ga. Post Office as Second Class Matter.

Official Organ of both City and County.

Your attention is directed to the announcements elsewhere.

Out in Mexico last week fifteen Indians robed a coach and killed six passengers, all that were in it.

Geo. E. Sutton has been appointed postmaster at Pleasant Retreat, in White county, vice W. H. Courtney resigned.

We received a letter from Mr. Tom Ray last week informing us that he would be at home on the first of March to make the race for sheriff.

At Doddsville, Miss., last Sunday Luther Holbert and his wife were burned at the stake by a mob of over 1,000 persons for the killing of James Elandan, and John Carr, a negro.

War has commenced with Japan and Russia. The first engagement resulted in five Russian vessels being crippled by the Japs. Three were torpedoed at night and the other at day.

Will Crow was recently sentenced to pay a fine of \$50 and cost in Hall county, or go to the chain gang twelve months for forgery—raising an order from ten cents to twenty-five cents.

Our neighbor, Social Circle, is now without a local newspaper. It is the same old story—two papers endeavored to live where there was scarcely an existence for one, and both were forced to suspend publication.

Last week Miss Mary Hancock of Lowndes county, was fatally burned by starting a fire in the stove with kerosene. The oil caught her clothing and it was all burned off of her. This should be a warning to all who start fires with kerosene oil.

One of the most destructive fires that was ever known in the history of Baltimore, broke out at 3 o'clock last Monday morning. Large buildings were consumed like paper. 140 acres are in ashes which contained 2,500 buildings, throwing 20,000 people out of employment. Loss estimated more than \$200,000,000. 1,000 United States troops, the militia and 864 policemen are on guard to keep thieves from stealing. A resolution is already before congress to appropriate \$1,000,000 for the fire stricken city.

Many claims are being made out against the government for horses taken from confederate soldiers just after the war, but it seems from a telegram from Washington that only a special act was passed for one command in Tennessee. It says: "A short while ago payment was begun by the war department under a bill passed by congress some time previously which covered a rather peculiar case. That was payment to confederates for certain horses taken under the direction of a federal commander just after the surrender in Tennessee. This was covered by a special act and applied to but one command."

Senator Pearson of Pennsylvania, has introduced in the United States senate, and Representative Curtis of Kansas, has introduced in the house of representatives a bill "to place upon the service pension roll at the rate of \$75 per month, in lieu of any other pension, all officers and enlisted soldiers of the United States army, navy and marine corps, both regular and volunteer, who have been awarded medals of honor" or who may hereafter be awarded such medals, under acts of congress passed December 31, 1861, July 12 and 16, 1862, and March 3rd, 1863, who have reached the age of 60. This age limit is not to exclude any officer or enlisted man who served during the rebellion of 1861 to 1865."

Dr. Watkins in Dahlonega,

Our city was visited this week by Dr. E. W. Watkins for the first time in twenty years. Before he was a delegate to a district meeting. This time he was on a different mission—a candidate for congress from the Ninth District.

The Doctor arrived on Sunday afternoon and on Monday morning, bright and early, he was out and around getting acquainted with the people of the town. He had a few personal friends here who were in the legislature with him when he represented his county. The others had heard of him, and even the strongest friends of Mr. Tate treated the gentleman very courteously, on account of the valuable services he had rendered the people, not only of Lumpkin county, but the state of Georgia, by voting for measures of interest to the N. G. A. College. He not only voted for this institution but worked for it and although some years have passed, our citizens have not forgotten it.

At 11 o'clock Dr. Watkins addressed a very good audience at the court house. He first gave briefly his record of six years in the Georgia legislature. Then he gave his platform and explained it so all might understand exactly where he stood. He favors the negro being colonized and confederate soldiers pensioned by the government. The negro, he said, caused the white people to commit murders by lynching them for crimes frequently committed. If they were carried off to themselves this would end and the country would bloom like a rose. Then he gave the amount of money that would be brought to the southern states if the confederate veterans were pensioned, and he felt confident that this law could be passed if we had some one in congress that would only ask for it.

The speaker referred to the free mail delivery. He said down in Cobb and other counties, represented by able men, there were from twenty to thirty routes in each county. In Lumpkin and many other counties in the Ninth, there is not a single route, and those counties are losing thousands of dollars annually that they ought to have.

He then paid his respects to Mr. Tate. He said, "Mr. Tate is a good clever man, but has accomplished all in congress that he can hope to do. Twelve years he has been in congress, has had all the honor in the office, received \$75,000 or more; it is time the honors should be divided with some others, and let some one else see if they can't accomplish something." Tate has represented the district for a longer period than any man who ever had the honor of being the representative from the Ninth District, and a paper up at Young Harris has said that it would be wise to elect him for life. If Tate was as brilliant as such a man as Benjamin H. Hill, we might think about his holding the office for life, but Carter is just an ordinary mortal, just like other men in the district. He is no like Livingston, who gets just what he wants, and if a young man in his district wants a job there is no job in the departments. Let him to make to one for his man."

"I met a friend of mine not long since, who said, 'Doctor, I do not want you to run. I am in a close place about this race. You see, Carter has given my nephew a lifetime job.' I said to him, 'You vote for Carter. You ought to do it. I will be perfectly satisfied for all the men to vote for Tate whose nephews have been given live time jobs by him, if all the men will vote for me whom Tate has never given their nephews any jobs.'

If any of you gentlemen are under obligations to Mr. Tate, vote for him."

"One man said, 'Look here, you will not dare run against a man who has as much money as Tate; but I told him the time had come when the people were going to overthrow that man who tries to

get into office with money. Besides, the people are not as easy bought as some reckon. Some men will drink a candidate's liquor all day and then go staggering up to the polls and vote for the man of their choice.'

Down in one county Mr. Tate presented a man with a fine span of gray horses, being given him, likely, for his strong friendship and services in Mr. Tate's behalf. I was told the other day that he was for Mr. Bell. Why is that? I asked. "He has sold his horses." Now I guess that man wants another span of horses."

Dr. Watkins was listened to with much interest for an hour and made a good impression among the people while here. He will come again during court in April, and make another address.

Georgia Day.

The following is a programme arranged for Georgia day, on Friday the 13th:

"B" class—"Georgia in Colonial Times," R. L. Davis from Walker county.

"A" class—"Georgia in the Revolution," F. L. Lunsford from Talairferro.

Freshman class—"Georgia and Manufacturers," C. B. Collins, Tallahassee, Fla.

Sophomore class—"Georgia and Agriculture," G. J. Jenkins, Pulaski county.

Junior class—"Georgia and Education," R. Byers, Hall county.

Senior class—"Georgia and the Panama canal," J. D. Gortatowsky.

Bis Boom Bah—Bis Boom Bah! North Georgia—Rah! Rah! Rah! Dahlonega! P-a-h-l-o-n-e-g-a!"

Wanted: 50 Men and Women.

Dr. C. H. Jones, the enterprising druggist, is advertising today for fifty men and women to take advantage of the special half-price offered by able men, there were from twenty to thirty routes in each county. In Lumpkin and many other counties in the Ninth, there is not a single route, and those counties are losing thousands of dollars annually that they ought to have.

So positive is he of the remarkable power of this specific to cure these diseases, as well as sick headaches and liver troubles, that he agrees to refund the money to any customer whom this medicine does not quickly relieve and cure.

With Dr. Howard's specific at hand you can eat what you want and have no fear of ill consequences. It strengthens the stomach, gives perfect digestion, regulates the bowels, creates an appetite, and makes life worth the living.

This is an unusual opportunity to obtain 60 doses of the best medicine ever made for half its regular price, with the personal guarantee of a well known business man to refund the money if it does not give satisfaction.

If you cannot call at Dr. Jones' store today, send him 25 cents by mail, and he will send you a package, promptly, charged paid.

Dr. Jones has been able to secure only a limited supply of the specific, so great is the demand, and you should not delay taking advantage of the liberal offer he is making this week.

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The closing of the cotton mill in Gainesville recently, caused many persons to leave that city to hunt another job.

Hon. John Temple Graves, editor of the Atlanta News, may make the race for governor. He has the matter under consideration now.

Judge Maddox's bill providing a federal appropriation for the public roads of the States and territories is a good one, and we hope it will become a law, then we would have good roads throughout the entire country.

The Clarke County Courier is of the opinion that there will be no revival in Athens even with Dr. Broughton to lead. The editor says that people cannot hold on to God with one hand and the disassembly with the other.

Although Cobb is a much larger county than ours and has much more business, it only takes four basiffs to run her court, and one of these waits on the grand jury, but in Lumpkin it requires nearly double this number to do the business, or at least they are used, and sometimes more.

As the candidates have commenced announcing for county offices we wish to say that Mrs. Negron will be no candidates again, but will be run in the interest of the democratic party, and when the primary is over and the men are selected then this paper will fight for whoever is nominated against any independent or republican candidates who may oppose them.

In Des Moines, Iowa, a school of matrimony, at which young men and women, desiring to enter the wedded state, are expected to take course of instructions and receive diplomas, is proposed by Representative Deshield, who is a physician.

During the Civil War, and for a time thereafter, "The Bonnie Blue Flag" was one of the most popular songs of the South. The author of it, Mrs. Anne Chambers Kethum, died in a New York hospital a few days ago, at the advanced age of eighty years. She was of Virginia and Kentucky ancestry. "The Bonnie Blue Flag" was written in Memphis in 1863. When the Federal troops occupied that city she refused to take the oath of allegiance, and was, therefore, compelled to leave her home.

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Local News.

Miss Lizzie Castleberry has returned from a three months visit to Atlanta.

There will be an all day singing up at the long tube church next Sunday, and preaching by Rev. W. T. Dowdy at 3 o'clock.

Homer and Will Edge of this county, left last Monday for Birmingham, Ala., in search of employment.

Those who heard Rev. W. C. Taylor, the newly elected Baptist minister, preach last Sunday are perfectly delighted with his sermon.

Some of our Walnut subscribers failed to receive their Neggers last week. What's the matter? They were all sent out, folded up in one package.

Mrs. Hetta Grigory died in this county this week at the age of 70. She had belonged to no church but we understand that she had professed a religion.

Although it was very damp and muddy Sunday night many people were out at the temperance meeting. The exercises were listened to with much interest.

Andersen & Jones are now receiving their spring and summer clothing, best in town. Come and examine goods and prices before purchasing elsewhere.

Mr. William Grindle has moved on the copper mine property for the purpose of looking after the machinery and other things until operations are resumed again.

Mess. Frank Jones and T. S. Lauderdale returned a few days ago from Pickens county where they had been for several days looking after a big land deal in which they are interested.

We stated last week that the Signal was still running, but is an error. Young editor Woodward has closed the office doors and gone to Atlanta to work and the Signal is now peacefully at rest. One paper can thrive in Dahlonega but two can't.

Mr. J. H. Moore has purchased the beautiful residence of Mr. C. W. Satterfield. We understand that Mr. Satterfield will move elsewhere as soon as he finds a location that suits him. He is a good citizen and we hate to see him leave Dahlonega.

Although an old gentleman told us that liquor was sold and used close to a Sunday School over at Ashley's school house recently and that one of his boys was into it, we are reliably informed by parties present that it is a mistake, a lot of which we correct with much pleasure.

Mr. A. L. McDonald of Jackson county, who was the lowest bidder on the Gainesville and Dahlonega and five upper route, has declined and notified the department to re-advertise it at his expense. It was Mr. McDonald's intention to move to Gainesville but upon reflection saw that he had bid it off too low, being something less than six hundred dollars.

Dahlonega was visited last Sunday afternoon by a regular summer time storm, the wind being so strong for a few minutes as to shake many large buildings to their foundations, causing much alarm by the inmates. The telephone was crippled so as to cut off all communication between here and Gainesville and Dahlonega till the lines could be repaired.

Remember that W. P. Price, Jr., is agent for the National Biscuit Co., and has the following articles manufactured by it on hand, to wit: Unceda Biscuit 5 cents a package, Zu Zu 5, 5 O'Clock Tea 10, Graham Crackers 10, Oat Meal 10, Unceda Jinger 10, Butter Tea 10, Cheese Sandwich 15, Vanilla Wafers 15, Lemon Wafers 15, Nabisco (assorted) flavors 30c box, Champagne Wafers 30, Athine Wafers 30, Saltinos 10 package, La-dy Fingers, Cocoa Mac and other varities.

Mr. David Prewitt went to Soddy, Tenn., this week to accept a position.

Mrs. J. B. Alfard of Hartwell, Ga., is here on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Turner.

John Ash of this county, was bound over by Com. Baker last week on the charge of operating an illicit distillery.

Mr. John Jackson went off to Birmingham, Ala., first of the week, where we learn he has gone to accept a job as an electrician.

Notwithstanding the muddy roads and disagreeable weather last Saturday, Rev. D. J. Blackwell of Gainesville, came up and filled his appointment Sunday at the Presbyterian church.

The water courses are lower in this section than they have been since we can remember. The melting of the snow has made no change on account of the ground being so dry that it absorbed all the moisture.

Dahlonega has been dull for some time, but not duller than many other places of larger inhabitants. You must remember that this is a dull season of the year. But in order to make things more lively, try an ad in THE NUGGET.

Mr. J. J. Seabolt was re-elected county school commissioner yesterday without any opposition. Mr. Seabolt has heretofore performed his duties well and there is no use of changing him for a new man even if he had.

We made a mistake this week and liked one hundred papers having enough, on account of a wrong count, which was not discovered until the first side of THE NUGGET was struck off and distributed, forcing us to send out this deficiency in half sheets, containing all the inside news, and those receiving a full sheet will please pardon us and we will try and let not this occur again.

J. L. Parks of Dawson county, was arrested last Saturday by U. S. Deputy Marshal Grizzie on a bench warrant, charging him with blocking. Another case was against him for the same offense. This one he waived examination and has been carried to Atlanta as default of bond. Parks also has two cases booked against him in the Superior court of Dawson county. One for assault and the other for assault with intent to murder. So Mr. Parks will have something to employ his mind for some time.

Last Sunday night a week ago Mr. Griffin went down to the Hand to turn the lights on the plant and town, but the globes had all been removed from the mill that day, and had to be replaced before the electrician could have any light to see by. Three certain boys of Dahlonega, had gained entrance that day through a window, and did the mischief; some of the globes being sold by them afterwards at five cents a piece. Such acts as this, if continued, will cause them to land in the chain gang one of these days.

Just a little over a week from the time Marion Edmonson was paid out of the calaboose he was arrested and imprisoned again—the last time a little pistol and too much liquor caused it. On Saturday night he jerked out his pistol and drew it on Mr. Robert Davis, a student, who knocked him down, took his pistol away from him and carried and turned it over to Nightwatchman Carter. The pistol was empty but Mr. Davis didn't know it and violated the state law just the same as if it had been. Edmonson went home at once, but the marshal and watchman soon had him safely locked up in the calaboose. Here he remained till Monday when he was brought out before Mayor pro tem Vickery, who required the boy to pay a fine of one dollar and cost for being drunk and disorderly, permitting him to go then and not be prosecuted by the marshal for the other offense, provided he would leave the country and do better. This he agreed to do.

Mr. Marion Chester visited Atlanta this week, where he will likely spend some time later on.

Mr. R. C. Wood, after an absence of some time in Florida, returned to this county last week.

Mr. Clarence Tolbert and Miss Manda Satterfield, a daughter of Mr. Wash Satterfield, were wedded last Saturday by Wm. J. Worley, Esq.

Mr. Cox, tax receiver of Hall county, spent last Saturday night in Dahlonega, in company with the sheriff of that county, who came up after Barnes.

One trial makes you a permanent shipper. Try us. Write to Johnson & Dahney, Wholesale Grocers, Importers and Commission Merchants, 39 S. Broad St., Atlanta, Ga.

We now have the largest and most complete assortment of stationery ever brought to Dahlonega by any printer. When you need any job work done neat, quick and cheap, come or send.

Mr. C. C. Pugh of Adel, Iowa, in writing to us the other day took occasion to remark this: "Although a stranger in your town and do not know a soul there I read THE NUGGET every week, even to all locals and advertisements."

Rev. D. W. Coldwell, of Stay, Ga., dropped into see us the other day. Although a republican, Mr. Coldwell said he liked the NEGGER so well that he would pay two dollars a year rather than do without it. As to his politics, if he does differ with us in this respect, there does not reside a more clever man in Lumpkin county.

If a suit is what you want, now is the time to get one cheap. For the next ten days we will sell suits as follows: For cash, \$12.50 suits for \$10.00; \$10.00 suits for \$7.50; \$8.00 suits for \$6.00, and so on in proportion to price. We make this sacrifice in order to make room for our spring line. Everything else will be sold cheap for cash. Come and see for yourself and be convinced.

T. J. SMITH & BRO.

Mr. Allen Anderson, a brother of our townsmen, Mr. John E. Anderson, died last Sunday morning up in Yahoola district, after an illness of pneumonia in less than a week. The deceased was in Dahlonega just a week before his death, and had been back from Alabama only a little over two weeks. He first had the measles, then pneumonia, rapidly growing worse till he expired. We deeply regret this young man's sad demise and sympathize with his mother and other kindred very much.

It is a common thing for members of the town council to be criticised for things that displease some, but when they do any thing to save the town money nothing is said about it. The present council has reduced the number of days work on the streets from six to four, and contracted the four principal roads for \$45.25 less than 1903, besides elected a marshal who collected more money on dogs for the month of January than was taken in during the whole of 1903, and not a word is said, but let some little thing like putting up a hitching post to the distaste of some, the devil is to play.

Mr. M. J. Williams has been awarded the contract of carrying the mail from Dahlonega to Wier postoffice in this county, to go and return the same day beginning the first of July. The mail now runs to Amicalola postoffice and on to Ellijay, but after June there will be a gap in the line of four miles, and to get a letter to Amicalola from Dahlonega 20 miles, it will have to go to Gainesville. From there to Ellijay and back this way to its destination after a three days round. Improvements are generally made in our mail facilities, but this is a step backward, especially when a letter has to go 125 miles to get to a postoffice only twenty miles away.

It is reported that Mr. Tom Ray is sick with smallpox at Beaufort Ridge, Tenn.

County School Commissioner Seabolt has been suffering with rheumatism. For several days he was unable to get out of bed, and it was with much difficulty that he was able to ride to town in a buggy to stand his examination.

The public roads of this country ought to be in good condition except mud, but they received the least attention during the fall, for we have not had a washing rain for eight or nine months. It occasionally clouds up, but enough rain has not fallen to run in the roads until last Sunday.

For some time past certain parties have been selling wine to men and boys, Sunday not excepted, causing them to get drunk, often resulting in trouble. Members of the city council have been asked to stop it but they have no authority over the guilty parties, as they reside beyond the town limits. But the next grand jury will be notified of the fact, as many of those purchasing it reside within the town limits and if parents can't stop it through the town authorities they will try a higher court.

During the snow Manuel Howell, col., discovered a bear's track where the animal had crossed the road between his house and Mr. Henly Wimpy's on the lower Gainesville and Dahlonega road. Howell tracked it for a while but happened to think it useless to search for bear without even a pistol and he returned to get a gun and hunter's knife, but failing to secure such an outfit as he desired, postponed the trip until another snow so he can carry one with him. Heretofore Manuel has been staying out from home late at night, and some times he would stop on the way while "going in" and take a nap by the side of the road, when his bottle got empty enough to cause him to feel sleepy, but you will never catch this negro doing so many more power, causing them to renew their energies.

Messrs. Ashley and VanVleck have resumed work at the mine purchased from the Corns in the Western portion of Lumpkin county, sometime ago.

The stamps and the machinery of the old Horner mill were taken out last week and are being conveyed down to the McAfee-Lin mine for the purpose of increasing the capacity of the mill.

The ground is clear of snow and mining operations have been resumed after a delay of only a few days, and it is hoped that the water power will soon be strong enough for the Crown Mountain plant to begin active work on full time.

Mr. Asa L. Merrick of Syracuse, New York, was registered at Hall'sville the first of the week, in company with Mr. J. H. Helmer, a resident of this state. They were on their way to Gaddistown, in Union county, where they expect to stay a month. The object of their visit is to thoroughly prospect certain property over there for me.

Frequently we receive letters from some of our patrons in the West and North for our private opinion of certain gold mines of this section, which we are always glad to give, although it does not differ with anything published by us, for our public and private opinion of the mines do not differ—what we publish is gathered from personal observation and information received from reliable source. Notwithstanding all this, we write when you feel like it. We will be more than pleased to answer your letters.

The first month of the new year's reports on the valuable minerals of the world are coming to our notice, and the indications are we are at the beginning of an era of unprecedented activity in gold mining. In 1853 the world's yield of gold was \$155,000,000. In 1859 the returns show \$307,150,000. That this figure has not been increased is due to the Boer

war which restricted the South African output. In the opinion of mining men this increase will be small compared with the entire decades. New fields are being found and the old fields are being looked up and improved methods are applied to the once valuable ones and are now being worked at a profit. The gold in the Josephine Mine still stored in nature's mammoth store-house waiting for the time to come when she will yield up her precious galena. The only thing lacking is an ounce of radium to put her where she will be classed with the worlds producers. Work is progressing slowly but in a substantial and economical way, and it's only a matter of a few weeks until everything is finished and the mill running night and day at her full capacity. Manager H. D. Jaquish goes to New York this week to attend the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Etowah Gold Mining and Milling Co., which is to be held the 16th inst., at the company's office 43 Broadway, New York City.

It has been steadily raining all day up to going to press and it continues for a while this way for there will soon be plenty of water for mining purposes.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR TAX COLLECTOR.

To the voters of Lumpkin County: I am a candidate for re-election to the office of tax collector, subject to the democratic primary, and respectfully ask the support of all. Thanking each and every one for their assistance in the past. Most respectfully,

F. J. WILSON.

FOR CLERK.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Clerk of the Superior Court of Lumpkin county, subject to the democratic primary.

Respectfully,

FRANK L. REESE.

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All men cannot own mines from which gigantic fortunes are made, but almost anyone can own stock in mining companies owning properties of good prospective value. We say "good prospective value" because this is about the only kind of mining proposition that one can buy into these days, barring fakes and wildcat investments, as it is not a common thing in this day and age to hear of the sale of treasury stock in a mining enterprise which is already productive and which is paying the owners big money.

Therefore, if the mining public desires an investment in mining securities, the natural thing to do would be to purchase treasury stock in some company which has ground of undisputed value and merit which it desires to equip and develop. If the company is composed of experienced, reputable men, and its property is well located in a good district, the chances are that the purchasers of treasury stock will make thousands upon their investment where they have put in only hundreds. Not every investor in mining securities meets with success, but we can point out a great many instances where the small investors in treasury stock have made their fortunes because of their good judgment in this respect.

All of our great dividend-paying mines of today, at one time, were only good prospects. In many instances companies formed for their operation had difficulty in selling enough treasury stock to a point where they could be listed as producing mines. We have seen treasury stock sell at a dollar, which, a few years later, readily brought the owner ten and twenty dollars a share. We have known treasury stock go begging at \$5 a share, and we have known the same stock, five or six years later, as a ready seller at \$100 a share; and, during four of these years this stock paid a dollar a share a month in dividends.

As a general thing those having a few hundred dollars to invest in mining, cannot hope to become large mine owners. Even with ample funds at their command, their business affairs may be such that they cannot devote their time to this fascinating pursuit; but they can buy treasury stock in a good paying mining company and thereby become indirectly interested in the great mining industry, and at the same time be free to follow their usual business avocation untrammeled by the care and worry which necessarily attaches to the ownership and operation of a mining proposition.—Exchange.

Causes of Failure.

He took life too seriously. He did not strive upward. He starved from mental poverty.

His social faculties atrophied from disease.

He saved his money but starved his mind.

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Col. W. S. Huff thinks there is a legislative bee in his cap too.

Some Proverbs.

Keep a cat for the rat and the pig may get fat.
Double the manure pile and you may double the crop. It is better than buying a new farm.
One fat cow is worth a poor coach and scrubby six.
A mortgage on the farm is harder to dig out than a sod of wire grass.

Elbow-grease and self-denial will make a farmer rich on trial. Not every egg is sound that seems so, and a lame horse makes a lame farmer.

Waste leads to want, and want leads to woe; before you start consider which way to go.

If nine-tenths of the dogs' tails were cut off to the ears, the country would be better off a thousand-fold.

The corn row will not be straight if you look behind you. Plant memorial trees on the birthdays and your children will always have a monument.

The best coddling-moth trap has not been patented. It is the jaws of a pig.

A weak fence makes a weak farmer.

Some hens will do a dime's worth of cackling over a cent's worth of eggs.

If all that is wasted in the kitchen could get back to the farmer the farmer would getrich.

If you have a jumping cow six a pickle barrel for her to jump into and she won't jump long.

A razorback hog is a bad beast to ride to dinner on.

A little salt on the farm helps to put salt in the dish.

Don't let the noon hour eat up the other ten.

Rats in the crib give the teams pains in the ribs.

A broken window pane may bring the doctor gain.

Little seeds make tall weeds; but tall weeds make short corn.

The farmer that burns much gunpowder will soon find a hole in his pocket book.

A big farm sets too many chairs to the dinner table.

It is the guilty man who is always afraid of his "shadow."

The more haste the longer you have to wait for the other fellow.

It is the polished villain who beats the bootblack out of his fee. Many a man's crookedness is due to his attempt to make both ends meet.

Gossips are not to blame if one-half the world doesn't know how the other half lives.

The many friends of Col. O. J. Lilly are urging him to run for the legislature.

Ellen Whelchel vs. C. M. Floyd Whelchel. Filed in Lumpkin Superior Court.

To the defendant, M. C. Floyd Whelchel:

By order of the court, you are hereby notified that on the 3rd day of October, 1903, Ellen Whelchel filed suit against you for divorce. Returnable April term, 1904, of said court. You are directed to appear in court to appear at the said Superior Court of said county, to be held on the 3rd Monday in April next, then and there, to answer the cause of action of Ellen Whelchel in action for total divorce. In default thereof the court will proceed as to justice shall appear.

Witness the Honorable J. J. Kinsey, judge of said court. This the 30th day of January, 1904.

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Composition of Animals.

Farmers either sell their crops direct from the farm, or turn them into animals or animal products. The latter practice is the highest order of farming, as both a knowledge of how to grow crops and breed and feed animals are required. Almost all farmers are stock raisers to some extent, and it is necessary for them to know how to feed animals to the best advantage and to understand how the animal's body is built up.

Bones and flesh compose largely the body of animals—the bones making the frame work which the flesh binds together. The flesh contains most of the nerves and blood vessels; and the vital organs—the brain, the heart, lungs, digestive organs, etc., are protected by bones and flesh. The different parts of the body are different in composition, but they all contain some substances in common.

All parts of the body contain some moisture, even apparently dry bones contain moisture. The bodies of young animals contain more moisture than those of older ones, and for this reason they are often stunted in their growth on account of the lack of sufficient water. The bodies of domestic animals contain about 50 per cent of water. When all the water is driven off from animal bodies the part remaining is called dry matter.

If the dry matter is burned the greater part disappears in the air as gas and smoke, leaving behind a small quantity of ash. The ash is the mineral matter, and the part that goes into the air is organic or volatile matter.

The organic matter is of two kinds—one class containing nitrogen, the other without nitrogen. They are called respectively nitrogenous and non-nitrogenous substances. The relative proportion of these two classes of substances is quite different in animal bodies from what they are in plants.

In nearly all plants the non-nitrogenous compounds are in excess, while the reverse is true of animals.

The dry matter of the muscles, nerves and tendons of animals are made almost entirely of nitrogen compounds. The bones and skin contain less nitrogen. The nitrogen compounds of animals and plants have the same elements, but they differ in appearance and in the proportions in which these elements are combined.

The non-nitrogenous substances of plants are made up principally of starch, sugar, gum and woody matter with very small quantities of fat or oil. No starch or woody matter is found in animal bodies, and only a little sugar. The fats of animal bodies are different in appearance from the fat of plants. Thus lard is quite different from cotton seed oil, though they both contain the same elements.

Most of the mineral matter in animals is found in the bones. This is in the form of phosphates. 80 per cent of the ash of bones are phosphates.

CHAS. W. DAVIS,
N. G. A. C.

There are many people in the cemetery across the way, says the North Georgia Citizen, who would have been with us still, perhaps, had as many goods things been said about them before they were put there as since. "Why can't a man get what is coming to him just as well as he did?"

Gov. Terrell of Georgia, thinks the democrats have a good chance of electing a national ticket this year.

Removing The Stomach.

At a meeting of medical men in Vienna the other day Dr. Ullman presented a woman of sixty-two years whose entire stomach had been removed in an operation for cancer. Nevertheless she digests all her food and has gained weight since the operation. The doctor stated that the operation of removing the stomach had now been successfully performed over twenty times. The stomach really plays only a small part in the complex act of digestion, its principal use being that of a reservoir; hence it is that without this organ meals have to be taken inconveniently often and usually small. There are several little organs of complex chemical function far more indispensable than the stomach, which are seldom heard of. We could not exist, for instance, without the suprarenal capsules and the pancreas.—Harper's Weekly.

All the following gentleman has so many warm friends in Lumpkin county, we copy what the Blairsville Banner has to say about his record as an officer, to wit: Tax Collector J. D. Brookshire has just wound up his books for last year and he makes a very fine statement. His books talked to a copper and proves that he is a most efficient officer. His records show that there is only \$1.65 insolvent property tax in the county. He collected for the state taxes not on the digest to the amount of \$30,20. The amount of taxes collected for the state is \$4,320.99 and for the county \$2,905.

The owners of the Ducktown copper works agree to stop the smoke if Georgia will stop her suit in the United States Supreme court. This has been agreed to. A new process will be introduced. At present the ore is being roasted by wood fires in order to get rid of the sulphur, but the new process will put the ore right in the smelters.

These new plants will be installed at once, but the smoke will continue to July or August, as the fires which are lighted in April will burn until that time. Even the rain cannot extinguish one of the fires after they have been started.

It is said that Joe Longstreet came to town the other day after some coffin screws and handles to be used in the preparation for burial of one of his color. On the way he got some blockade liquor, which was used pretty freely till it caused him to feel quite happy by the time he reached Dahlonega. Soon Joe fell in company with one of the "shining lights", with whom he spent the day, forgetting his business, and before reaching home his friend was buried. This negro wouldn't do to write obituaries, because he might turn them into a few letters.

A citizen of our town recently, says the Marietta Journal, returned from a northern trip says that in many of the large cities up there no attention is paid to the Sabbath. This is especially true of Cincinnati. The stores are wide open just as on week days. The theatres are in full blast and make no effort at vindication by hiding behind sacred productions. The "Zoo" and beer gardens are scenes of the liveliest activity. The German quarters, "Over the Rhine," as Cincinnati folks call it, the holy Sabbath seems not to be even thought of, much less spent in a reverent observance. This is a reversion to the ways of the North Georgia Citizen, who would have been with us still, perhaps, had as many goods things been said about them before they were put there as since. "Why can't a man get what is coming to him just as well as he did?"

A gentleman informed us this week that a certain old woman in this county drawing a widow's pension from the state, has been married twice. Her first husband was a confederate soldier and died during the war. Then after the surrender she married some yankee, who, after living with her a year or two stole her horse and left. But she goes by the name of her first husband and draws a pension illegally.

The insurance companies have suffered a heavy loss by the recent fire at Baltimore, being \$90,000,000.

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Good Advice to Farmers.

Says an exchange: The high price of cotton will cause many a tough sod to be turned this spring. If cotton would remain at four cents a pound those old pine woods ridges would be more valuable than any other part of the country. In economical farming there is a handsome profit in cotton at ten cents per pound, and where it goes above this the farmer is usually making more clear money than he could make at any other occupation. But there is danger of planting too much, which will result in a low price almost before the planter has realized any benefit from the high prices. The demand is far greater than it has ever been heretofore, yet there is danger of an over production. The safe side is to raise your hog and hominy at home and let cotton be the surplus only.

EX:

"Does farming pay?" Is not the question as well asked if merchandising, the practice of law, theology, or other callings pay. Farming pays more than any other business known. It loads the trains and ships, and pays the freight; it fills the warehouses and pays the commissions; it pays most of taxes and more interest than anything. Of course farming pays. Where it is intelligently followed it also pays the farmer. It ought to pay the farmer better than it does, and it will as soon as farmers find out why it does not—Marietta Journal.

Some one who has observed the methods of successful men says: "When you fight or work don't make a fuss, the hen cackles only after she has laid an egg. The noise and sizzle of a locomotive are not force. All force is silent. The ho-haw of a mule may startle, but it is not as dangerous as his hind legs. Bear in mind that it is an empty wagon that makes the most noise when in motion. The noise of a drum is due to the fact that there is nothing in it."

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CITY DIRECTORY

SUPERIOR COURT.

3rd Mondays in April and October. J. J. Kimsey, Judge. Cleveland, Ga. W. A. Charters, Solicitor General, Dahlonega, Ga.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

John Huff Ordinary.
John H. Moore Clerk.
James M. Davis Sheriff.
E. J. Walden Tax Collector.
James L. Healan Tax Receiver.
Y. R. Hix County Surveyor.
Joseph B. Brown Treasurer.
D. C. Stow Coroner.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

R. H. Baker, Mayor.
Aldermen: E. S. Strickland, J. E. McGehee, W. B. Townsend, E. B. Vickery, T. J. Smith, W. P. Price, Jr.

Wm. J. Worley, Clerk.
Geo. W. Walker, Marshal.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

Baptist Church — Rev. W. C. Taylor, Pastor. Services Sunday at 11 am and at night. Prayer meeting Thursday night.
Sunday School at 9 o'clock.
Methodist Church — every Sunday at 11 am and at night. Rev. J. D. Turner, Pastor. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night.
Sunday School at 9 o'clock.
Presbyterian—Services only on 1st and 3rd Sundays.
D. J. Blackwell, pastor.
Sunday School 9 a.m.

Nerve Fag.

If You Waste Your Nerve Energy, After Awhile You Will Suffer For It.

You can waste nerve energy by excess, over-work, worry, anxiety, etc. You can weaken yourself by not eating proper food and by insufficient rest to renew the nerve energy you use up.

The proper treatment, in addition to good phosphatic food, such as whole meat, green vegetables, fruit, etc., is Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine.

This is as truly a brain and nerve food as any food you could eat, and besides it is a tonic, a restorative, a sedative, which goes to the weakened nerve system, and sets it to rights.

Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine is a restorative, nerve tonic and food-medicine for the brain and nerves. It reconstructs worn-out nerve tissue, and fills your languid brain with new life and vigor.

Dr. Miles' Nervine has made so many wonderful cures of diseases that the doctors thought they were incurable, that it is today the standard medicine in many thousands of American homes. This is the best medicine to help you, or druggist returns your money.

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THE NUGGET.

DAHLONEGA, FEB. 18, 1904.

Entered at the Dahlonega, Ga., P. O.
as Second Class Matter.

Official Organ of both City and
County.

The last term of Jackson Superior court disposed of 96 cases.

The big dailies give us the Russia-Japan war news illustrated now.

Georgia will have 65 different minerals to exhibit at the World's Fair.

It is said that Gov. Terrell is wanting Mr. Bacon's seat in the senate.

Look under the head of announcements and see our new list of candidates this week.

County parties are beginning to take on a little life now by candidates coming to the front.

The bank of ashes and embers in Baltimore are being removed and rebuilding will commence at once.

Last Thursday Savannah, Ga., had a snow for the first in four years, and an old negro froze to death.

At Asheville, N. C., last Friday 1,108 gallons of blockade whiskey loaded on a car was captured by federal officers. No one will admit ownership.

The Russians at the port misook some of their own torpedo boats for the enemy the other day fired on them till all three went down, killing and drowning about 100 sailors.

A certain man who voted for a republican in the last election in Lumpkin county, is thinking of making the race this time for an office subject to the democratic primary.

We understand that Hon. F. C. Tate will not likely be able to visit Lumpkin county soon, on account of being busy in congress, but has friends here who will look after his interest.

Preacher West, who made the race for tax receiver in Lumpkin county as an independent, says he is going to fit it for the same office this time, subject to the democratic primary.

At Butte, Mont., last Saturday as the judge was delivering his instructions to the jury in the case of Alfred Beckman, accused of murder, Beckman drew a razor, cut his throat and fell to the floor fatally wounded.

Senator Marcus A. Hanna died at Washington City last Monday afternoon, causing deep regret among prominent republicans all over the country. Both houses of congress adjourned until after his funeral.

As we have heretofore stated, we believe it will be to the best interest of the democratic party of Lumpkin county to hereafter have strictly democratic primaries—allow no one to vote in them except democrats. In this way no one except democrats can have any hope of getting into office unless they belong to the party and come in this way. Later we will give our readers some facts and figures, showing that other than democrats rarely ever stick to the primary after voting in it when a republican or independent comes out.

A man in Dahlonega, who has always voted the republican ticket, said the other day that this party was losing its strength in the south very fast. We are not surprised at this when so many negroes are holding offices in the United States under its administration. Why, down here in Gainesville a few nights ago, when the republican executive committee was called together, there sat Bob Chamblee, a negro, as its secretary. Just as long as negroes are given offices in preference to good white republicans, the latter will continue to withdraw from the party in the south.

Mining Notes.

Although we have had some rain the water course does not show it much, and miners needing additional power can do but little more than heretofore.

Mr. Wharton Anderson informs us that the Calhoun is still moving along as it has been for several years. Every person acquainted with this property knows what this means—making big money.

Work at the Lockhart, though short of water for months, has been continued all along, giving satisfactory results. It is operated by native miners who are thoroughly acquainted with this property.

Messrs. John Huff and Virgil Morse, who tried to mine some on the Chestatee river with a lift, had to suspend work there for the lack of sufficient water power. They have moved on the Columbia property and hope to be benefited.

Mr. Fry of the Jumbo, was at home a short while last Sunday. This gentleman has mined both here and in the West and stated that he never saw anything to compare with Jumbo. It seems to be no trouble to strike good veins on the property.

Riley and Stevens are taking out ore on the Findley property, bearing the first mining that has been done on it in a long time. The dam washed away some years ago rendering them unable to run the mill on the property, causing the ore to have to be hauled quite a distance to the Lockhart, making it much more expensive.

No active work has been done at the Betz mine for some time but Mr. Arnold is back on the ground making arrangements to begin. Not long ago some new machinery of the most modern variety was installed, and all miners here are anxious to see it put in motion so as learn results with something that was never tried in this country before.

Mr. Campbell of the Singleton, still continues his prospective work and beating custom ore for the different parties who are engaged in mining on this property at several places. There are already veins opened by Mr. Campbell that he could work for the company if he had sufficient water, not having enough to run the giants and mill at the same time.

Superintendent McAfee of the McFee-Lin Gold Mine, who is engaged in enlarging the mill, informed us that five stamps of this mill would be put in motion again next week and by the first of March he expected to have all the stamps ready for operation. This property has already proven itself first-class, and with a good mine and a man having practical experience in the business nothing but good results are expected.

Mr. Tregent of the Barlow was up a short while the other day. We are always glad to see the gentleman for he makes every thing pleasant where ever he goes, but that is not often for he stays close about his business is one reason why this mine is paying so well. Many years ago when the Barlow was run by Pride, he had his walking bosses and riding bosses and the mill operated by steam and plenty of water handy that could be turned on to the mill at little expense. The result was the mine failed, just simply for the lack of good judgment.

The Eversoll & Crisson dredge boat is moving along as usual in the Chestatee river. It is not far now from the Boley Fields vein property where a person could stand on the bank when the vein was first discovered in the river many years ago and see the glittering gold it sifted below at shallow places. After taking cut thousands of pennyweights of gold the vein was lost. A number of miners have tried since to find it without success. Many nuggets have been picked up by this boat recently below and it may be when it gets near this noted vein will be struck again and its owners made vastly rich in a few hours.

Mr. Grant Woody at Quebec, came near getting his new hotel burned the other night. The fire caught from a stove pipe.

It is believed that the state executive committee will set the state primary in May. This is rather early for the farmers and will be a disadvantage to new candidates.

War between Russia and Japan has caused the Atlanta Constitution to take on new life. We get it here now at 2 o'clock instead of 5, three hours earlier in Dahlonega than usual which pleases all its patrons up here.

The war between Russia and Japan has resulted, so far, with big victories for the Japs. Many of the Russian vessels have either been sunk or crippled. The Russians stand but little chance fighting on water, for the Japs get the best of them every time.

Heretofore the county primary of Lumpkin has been held on the same day of state house officers, in May, it will not likely be the case this year, as it is too early and the wrong time of the year for farmers to participate and the county primary will not be fixed for a later date.

Heretofore persons who had not paid any poll tax and were on the insolvent list for years, could go into a republican convention and vote just the same as those who pay thousands of dollars taxes. All persons hereafter participating in republican meetings must be qualified voters. The following paragraph is in the instructions sent out by the Republican State Executive Committee to each county executive committee: That no person shall vote or participate in any mass meeting or convention called in any county of the State for the purpose of electing delegates under the call or for electing delegates to a county convention convened for the above purpose unless he be a legal and qualified voter of his county at the time of the holding of such mass-meeting or convention. No person shall act for a delegate by proxy to the convention unless he be a bona fide resident and voter of the county represented.

J. F. Moore & Co.

Farming supplies.—Turning plows, plow stocks, plows, traces, collars, pads, back bands, heel bolts, clevises, grass rods for home made plow stocks, repair links, patent lap links. Jute plow lines, 32 feet, 15c; cotton plow lines, 32 feet with snaps, 80c. Big lot of lace and embroidery from 2 to 20 cents a yard.

Don't forget, or when in need of fane we have them from 2 to 75 cents.

Boys', youths' and men's suspenders, 5 cents up. Ladies' shirt waist sets, 10 to 20 cents. Big line of ladies' summer vests, 10 to 25 cents each. White India linen, 10 to 29 cents; dress linen, 15 to 25 cents; white linen, (fine quality) 40 cents; white waist goods, 25 cents up; Royal Bedouine 15 cents; Hamilton's linen, 8c; Autum lawns, 5c. Big lot of A. F. C. gingham, Avoca Bates, 10 cents, Fine apple, 15; Gascogne, 10. Good line of Black Cat socks and stockings, Teviot-Dale suitings, 15c; 88 inch shrim, 5c; 2 pair, all wool, Eiderdown to close out at cost. Warners Rust Proof corsets, \$1.00; Girdles, 50c.

We are still selling clothing away below any other house in town.

Nice line of spring cutting, 1 pair of white, all wool blankets, 11x14 wide at a bargain. Quilts and cheap blankets to close out.

Job lot of shuns.

Only a few of Hall's maps of Dahlonega gold belt left, price, only 25 cents.

Sewing machines \$18.00 to \$25.00.

Let the order you a nice Spring suit. New samples just arrived. Fit and satisfaction guaranteed. If dissatisfied I accept the suit without grumbling.

R. C. MEADERS.

IT IS A MATTER OF HEALTH



THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE

The gross receipts of cotton at New Orleans from September 1st, 1903, to January 30th, 1904, were 1,581,170 bales. The Semi-Weekly Atlanta Journal had \$3,000 contest in connection with its subscription. A number of guesses were made by Lumpkin county citizens but we don't think any of them guessed close enough for a part of the money to come this way.

The Lumber Association of Georgia has donated material for a Georgia building at the St. Louis Fair, and now all that is necessary to do, is to procure funds for its transportation, erection and care of this building. An effort is being made to secure it and it is hoped by the THE NUGGET it will be done as a nice display of Georgia's resources in a suitable building at the World's Fair will cause thousands of dollars to be invested within her borders.

LIVER TROUBLES

"Find Thedford's Black-Draught a good medicine for liver diseases. It is a safe remedy. It is sold with doctor's prescription. Price 10c per bottle. DR. THEDFORD'S BLACK-DRAGHT, Parkersburg, W. Va.

If your liver does not react right go to your druggist and secure a package of Thedford's Black-Draught and take a dose tonight. This great family medicine frees the constipated body, stops the torpid liver and causes a healthy secretion of bile.

Thedford's Black-Draught will clear up bowel of purulent particles and strengthen the kidneys, & torpid liver invites colds, biliousness, chills and fever and all manner of sickness and convulsions. Weak kidneys result in Bright's disease which claims as many victims as consumption. A 25-cent bottle of Thedford's Black-Draught should always be kept in the houses.

"Find Thedford's Black-Draught for liver and kidney complaints and you will be enabled to exert it."—WILLIAM COFFMAN, Mar-

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Visit the Places where Two Gi-
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Complete Treatment
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FOR SALE BY DR. C. H. JONES.

It will be well enough to remem-
ber that all widows who have mar-
ried since April 9, 1865, cannot
receive state pensions. Only the
widows who married before that
time will be put on the pension
roll. Or at least this is the law.

The price of cotton is declining
again.

Dawsonville court only lasted
half of last week, and but very lit-
tle business was transacted of any
importance. Son Crane, who had
been selling too much liquor to
suit Judge Kinsey was sentenced
to pay a fine of two hundred dol-
lars or in default go to the chain
gang for twelve months.

HOMESTAKE STOCK AT 50

CENTS PER SHARE.

Twenty years ago this offer was actually made and a few wise ones bought. The masses thought the price too high and missed

OPPORTUNITY OF A LIFETIME.

Dr. Herbert G. Torrey, of the United States Treasury Department, Prof. S. W. Van Syckel, the Eminent New York Expert, Prof. Otto Scupin, of the Royal School of Mines of Freiburg, Germany, W. B. Fry, for seventeen years Chief Amalgamator of THE GREAT HOMESTAKE MINE, and other high authorities have agreed after personal examination that the JOSEPHINE is

One of the Greatest Properties on the Globe.

This is not a prospect, but a developed mine with its own power and mill ready for operation; money enough in the treasury to commence work, but more needed to greatly enlarge the mill and install hydraulic machinery.

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For further particulars call at Auraria and let us make you prices on Fall, Winter and all other goods.

Local News.

Oranges at T. J. Smith & Bro.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian came up last week and spent a short time with their daughter, Mrs. O. J. Lilly.

Mr. C. W. Satterfield, who sold his residence last week, informs us that he may not move away from Dahlonega at all.

Mr. Craig R. Arnold, superintendent of the Betz mine in this county, spent a short while in Dahlonega while going to and returning from a visit to White County last week.

We see from the Dawsonville Advertiser that Col. Baker of Dahlonega has formed a law partnership with Col. A. W. Vandiver of Dawsonville as to Superior court practice in Dawson county.

The Decora society elected as its champion debators Messrs. J. R. Henley and L. G. Fortner, but Mr. Henley decided that he would not fill the place and resigned. The champion debate for this year is expected to be better than it has ever been.

The annual anniversary of the Phi Mu society will come off on February 22nd. Mr. J. F. Brough, who has been chosen as speaker on this occasion, has selected for his subject "The Patriot of Tomorrow." It is expected that a large crowd will be present.

Don't forget that our stock powders are guaranteed to give satisfaction by ourselves—not by some one thousand miles away. Nice covered sugar and butter dishes 15c. A full line of flavoring extracts 5c. Nice fresh crackers and ginger snaps 10c.

B. R. MEADERS & SONS.

It's gotten to be a frequent occurrence for our citizens to have their electric light globes stolen where they can be secured to after the owners retire, sometimes by boys who sell them at from five to ten cents. Whenever a boy offers you a good globe for five cents, you ought to refuse to purchase it.

Under a new law men who serve on the grand jury at one term of the Superior Court are disqualifed to sit on the special jury at the next court, and those drawn for the spring term of our court who served on the last grand jury will not be summoned, according to the direction of Judge Kinney.

T. J. Smith & Bro. have received their spring stock of clothing—the largest stock in Dahlonega. Don't place your order till you see their complete line of mens, boys and youths suits made to fit and the very latest styles. They come direct from the manufacturers and their prices are right—selling as cheap as Gainesville and Atlanta prices, or any other clothing house.

Mr. Ed. Mincey of Ball Ground, Ga., likes THE NUGGET. This is his letter of last week: Enclosed find check for another years subscription. I have been a regular subscriber since 1900, and am well pleased with THE NUGGET. I like it because it is newsy, gives facts, and especially because it is not forced upon me. It stops when my time is out.

Anderson & Jones have one of the best lines of clothing ever brought to Dahlonega—best patterns and latest cuts—up to date goods in every respect. Notwithstanding the advance in prices they bought at last years figures which enables them to make their prices right. For cash you can get goods at and below Gainesville and Atlanta prices, but you need not expect them to sell your goods as cheap on time. They represent one of the best clothing houses in the country and can take your measure and have your suit tailor made for about one-third less than others can get it up for you on account of having the work done at the house they buy all their clothing, besides having your suit made and returned in five to eight days from the time it is ordered.

Shoemaker James Phillips has gone to Alabama to work.

Call and see our new line of stationery if you need any nice job work cheap and quick.

Judge Huff goes down to Atlanta Tuesday to draw the pensioners money of Lumpkin county and will return and be able to pay off on Thursday.

Mrs. John Woody, who used to live in this county, died in Union on Wednesday night of last week aged 80. A few minutes before this good old lady died she asked those present to sing for her. This was done and when the song was finished she shut her eyes and the light of the world was closed to her forever.

Please bear in mind that we do not publish obituaries free. They do not interest but few outside of relatives and all you can write will do the dead no good. If just one-fourth of the good things written about dead people was said before they die it might cheer them up, relieve them of a heavy burden and cause them to live longer.

Mr. John Moore proposes to sell or rent the residence property he now occupies and will give possession first of March. This property can be had cheap. The house contains 10 good rooms. On the same lot is a cottage with 4 rooms. Good size lot. All outside houses and splendid well water. Call or write him at once if you wish to live at one of the most desirable places in town.

We have received a letter from Mr. A. J. Ash in reply to one published week before last, asserting that he had posted his lands to keep the school children at Pisgah from using any wood off of it. This letter is most too bitter for publication. We don't allow correspondents to use language in THE NUGGET stronger than we do. However we will state that Mr. Ash says that the charge is false—he had sold a certain lot to Mr. Ash. Nevertheless if Mr. Ash will put his reply in a little mild form we will publish it with pleasure.

In the Grizzle-Free trouble last week Mrs. Grizzle had a plea of guilty filed by her husband and was fined one dollar and cost by Mayor pro tem Vickery. Miss Free was found guilty and fined the same, and upon failure to pay the fine, to work on the streets for a period of forty days. The girl said she had no money and would go to jail but would die before she would work on the streets. Mr. John Moore and preacher Turner felt sorry for the girl on account of having no male relatives present to help her in distress, paid the bill so as to save further trouble. Mrs. Free and her other daughter were discharged for the trouble they had with the Marshal.

Several months ago many of the citizens of this county signed a petition and sent it off to the post office department at Washington, asking that a rural mail line be established in this county beginning at Dahlonega and to go by way of Wild, Stay, John Sargents and across by D. W. Coldwells, Willow, Porter Springs, Tube and back to Dahlonega, a distance of twenty-five miles. No one signed it except those along the line. The instructions have been carried out to a letter but the partition has been pigeonholed where it will remain unless it is looked after by our representative in congress, Hon. F. C. Tate. Why don't he do it? Our sister county Hall has already seven routes established and will likely have more. Can't our county be given one? Some say it's because we have no railroad, while others say that it is on account of the condition of our public roads. No. This is not so. The matter will never be taken up unless Mr. Tate looks after it. The road does not intend for us to have railroads before we can have rural routes. And as far as the roads are concerned ours will average up with any of the mountain roads and are as good as some where rural routes have been established.

Another singing at the Baptist church last Sunday afternoon.

We notice that some of our citizens have already commenced sowing their early seeds in hot beds.

Miss Neely Mays entertained a few of her friends last Saturday night by a socialite at Mrs. B. R. Meaders.

Mr. Robert Patton, formerly of Lumpkin county, but now of Banks, was married a few days ago to Miss May Belle Wood.

On Wednesday of last week Mr. Prewit, the tax receiver of Union, was married to Miss Martha Duckett, a daughter of Mr. Henry Duckett of this county.

Those indebted to me by note account for last year will please come forward and settle the same at once, as I need the money.

JOHN H. MOORE.

The department is advertising for bids on the Dahlonega and Stay mail route again, to begin in July 1, 1904 and June 30, 1905. The bond required is four hundred dollars.

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Col. Charters and Mr. H. P. Gurley left for Atlanta last Sunday. The Colonel went to argue a case before the Supreme court, and Mr. Gurley went to purchase new goods.

Sheriff Davis went over to Martin's Ford law ground and took a bond for Arthur Hulsey, who is wanted at the next term of the Superior court for a misdemeanor at

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Letters written by parties in Dahlonega to men on business at other places, seem to be delayed in some manner somewhere, and in one or two instances have failed to reach their destination entirely.

Not long ago a gentleman here wrote to a man down in Rome, Ga., and after a number of days waiting got no reply and wrote again, and was told that the first letter was not received. The letter or envelope had the proper return card on it but failed to either go or come back. This looks very much like some one, somewhere is tampering with the letters.

One of our merchants deposited four hundred and four pennyweights of gold in the bank last Monday, which he said was purchased in less than two weeks from different ones here who are engaged in placer and vein mining on a small scale. This merchant is undoubtedly doing well, for while he was showing us, together with two other gentlemen, his package of gold, from his coat pocket to wipe his nose with. He discovered his mistake however, before doing so and went deeper down, through a lot of other money till he reached a handkerchief.

Hon. G. D. Bruce is at home on a visit.

Mr. Ben Shad returned to Alabama this week.

Dr. J. D. Purdy of Mansfield, O., who spent some time in Dahlonega last spring, is back again on business.

It may be that some of you will miss your NUGGET this week. If so your time has expired without being renewed.

Last Saturday was Justice's court day over in Martin's Ford and several candidates were present, mixing and mingling with the "dear people."

We understand that Mr. John Redmond, who went down to Florida some weeks ago to help Mr. William Ricketts build a boat, is very sick.

Isaac Rucker, the only colored government pensioner in this county, is trying to get his pension increased a little. He now receives eight dollars per month.

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Miss Bessie Weaver has gone to Alabama on a visit.

Georgia day here was appropriately celebrated at the college. Always let us know when you fail to receive your paper promptly.

John Staleel of this county, was brought in Tuesday on a charge of blockading and discharged.

Postmaster Farrow of Gainesville, spent Tuesday night in Dahlonega while on his way to Porter Springs.

A son of Mr. Al Roberts showed us a ten cents silver piece bearing date of 1705, which he found on top of Crown Mountain.

That's right. Drop \$2.50 in the slot and have your name announced in THE NUGGET. If you wish to run for an office don't be ashamed to let the people know it.

Corn meal has been a scarce article in Dahlonega for some time, but Mr. W. J. Hightower is going to put up a mill here in town which will grind corn and supply a long furlong want.

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one or all of them. In my opinion, if Lumpkin county had railroad connection with the outside world she would soon ship car loads of fruits and vegetables, for no section is naturally adapted to these industries as your county is, could long remain undeveloped. If her people did not undertake to develop these industries others would locate there and develop them.

Very truly,
A. W. MEADERS.

Wanted: 50 Men and Women,

Dr. C. H. Jones, the enterprising druggists, is advertising today for fifty men and women to take advantage of the special half-price offer he is making on Dr. Howard's celebrated specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia, and get a fifty cent package at half-price, 25 cents.

So positive is he of the remarkable power of this specific to cure these diseases, as well as sick headaches and liver troubles, that he agrees to refund the money to any customer whom this medicine does not quickly relieve and cure.

With Dr. Howard's specific at hand you can eat what you want and have no fear of ill consequences. It strengthens the stomach, gives perfect digestion, regulates the bowels, creates an appetite, and makes life worth the living.

This is an unusual opportunity to obtain 60 doses of the best medicine ever made for half its regular price, with the personal guarantee of a well known business man to refund the money if it does not give satisfaction.

If you cannot call at Dr. Jones' store, send him 25 cents by mail, and he will send you a package, promptly, charges paid.

Dr. Jones has been able to secure only a limited supply of the specific, so great is the demand, and you should not delay taking advantage of the liberal offer he is making this week.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR TAX COLLECTOR.

To the voters of Lumpkin county:
I am a candidate for re-election to the office of Tax Collector, subject to the democratic primary. I respectfully ask the support of all. Thanking each and every one for their assistance in the same. Most respectfully,
E. J. WALTON.

FOR TAX RECEIVER.

To the voters of Lumpkin county:
I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Tax Receiver, subject to the democratic primary.

Respectfully,
C. R. OMOR.

FOR CLERK.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Clerk of the Superior Court of Lumpkin county, subject to the democratic primary.

Respectfully,
FRANK L. REED.

I take this method of announcing to the people of Lumpkin county that I am a candidate for Clerk of the Superior Court, subject to the Democratic primary election.

Respectfully,
R. M. BEYON.

I am a candidate before the Democratic primary for Representative of Lumpkin county in the next General Assembly of Georgia. I will appreciate your support, and promise you if elected I will do my full duty as your representative. I will appreciate it if you give me your support and influence.

Respectfully,
W. S. HUFF.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

I hereby respectfully announce my candidacy for Representative of Lumpkin county in the General Assembly of Georgia, subject to the democratic primary election.

Respectfully,
CARL SCHULZ.

FOR SHERIFF.

I am a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Lumpkin county, subject to the coming Democratic primary. If again elected I promise to fill the office in the future with the same fidelity as I have in the past. Thanking the voters for past favors and earnestly soliciting your support in the coming primary. I am

Respectfully,
J. M. DAVIS.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the Democratic primary, and solicit the kind consideration of the voters, and all may be assured that their aid will be greatly appreciated.

Respectfully,
W. T. WARD.

The Deceiver.

Deceit often undermines the fabric of the home; and it also sometimes disconnects a man from a good horse and leaves a jaded, wind-broken, stamp-sucking steed in its stead.

Deceit is practiced almost exclusively by men and mules. Men are extremely deceitful, and occasionally a woman is found who is handy at pulling the hair over your eyes, while a mule will maintain a sleepy, docile attitude for months and months for the blessed privilege of kicking its driver over into the next township.

The 'possum is very deceitful except when parboiled, baked brown, and surrounded by sweet potatoes.

People say that a girl says "no" when she means "yes," but married men have not found it that way.

Some men are so deceitful that they lie to their wives, lie to their offspring, lie to their editor, lie to the preacher, and even lie to the candidate after they have the bog-faced dollar in the opertuse of their trousers.

There are men in Missouri who are so deceitful that they try to dastive themselves. They reason that a dull headache and the dark brown taste is simply a pleasant specimen of innocent enjoyment. Such men, if they are ever fortunate enough to get in hailing distance of the pearly gates, will try to palm themselves off on St. Peter as class-leaders.

If there is anything that brings more woe and misery into the world than deception, Noah Webster has overlooked it in his Unabridged. We go right along deceiving our wives, or neighbors and our posterity, and if it was possible we would palm off a deception on the God who made us and will save us.

Deception is the rat-trap that catches the entire human family, and then turns around and puts a nice piece of fresh cheese on the Lord's example, and come to church as he entered the city of Jerusalem."

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A girl always puts on language to match her clothes.

A man who will make afternoon calls with his wife isn't one.

It makes an immodest girl blush to meet a pair of twins in a baby carriage.

A woman would rather follow intuition and be wrong than reason and be right.

Remember that the sharp razor cuts the deepest, but the dull one the oftener.

It makes a girl very indignant for a man to kiss her without lights being out.

You could never make some prudes believe they were born without any clothes on.

There are mighty few men smart enough to know that the smart things their children say are not.

A man feels mighty generous when he gives his wife a hundred dollars and then borrows it from her.

It makes a man very nervous to have a woman crush up so close to him in a street car that pretty soon she will get indignant with him about it.—New York Press.

Satisfied With His Job.

A Philadelphia clergyman recently visited an old schoolmate who is located in Montana. One Sunday they held revival services in a large camp of Swedish miners, and at one of the meetings the minister from the Quaker City, looking straight at a big, powerful looking man who sat in front, said to him, "My friend, don't you want to work for the Lord?"

The Swede thought a few seconds and replied slowly: "No, I tank not. De Norden Pacific fallers is party good to work for."

Macon gets the Georgia State Fair again this year.

Pointed Paragraphs

A man seldom forgets a favor he does another.

Conscience doesn't make cowards of literary romancers.

A man knows less after marriage than a woman does before.

Never judge a man's character by his standing of his silk hat.

A faint heart is more apt to win the fair lady than a faint bank account.

When a leap-year girl proposes, it's up to the young man to lose his self-possession.

No man fully realizes how much noise he makes when he comes home about 2 a.m.

It doesn't take very much of a philosopher to draw moral deductions from the misfortunes of others.—Chicago News.

The Minister's Reply.

It is said that a Hillsdale minister who goes to church from his home in a carriage on Sundays received an anonymous letter recently calling his attention to the fact that the Lord never rode to church in a carriage. The minister read the letter from the pulpit and then said:

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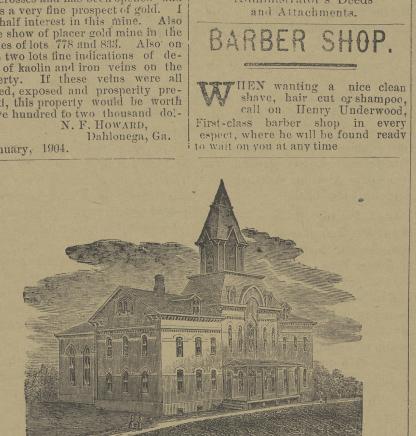
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1 pair of dark mouse colored mare mules. Lived on as property of T. H. Sullens, said mules being found in the possession and sale of T. H. Sullens. Also two and three acres of land or less of a tract of land lying and being in the 11th District of originally Dahlonega Lumpkin county, Georgia, bounded as follows: running westward east by the lands of Isaac Brown and on the west by the lands of B. W. Williams. Levied on as property of A. W. Hunter by virtue of and to satisfy a li. fa. issued from the Superior Court of Lumpkin county in favor of A. B. Whelechel, trustee, against John Sullens, A. R. Sullens, J. W. Hulsey, Fabie Sullens, J. B. Adams, T. H. Sullens and A. W. Hulsey as security, and A. B. Whelechel, trustee, owner. This the 1st day of February, 1904.

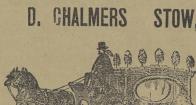
Also at the same time and place and upon the same terms and in the same manner as above, a tract of land of 1/2 acre and five rods and five sixths of lot 155, All in the 12th District and First Section of Lumpkin county, Georgia. Levied on as the property of William Speer, by virtue of a judgment of the Superior Court of Lumpkin county, Georgia, dated January 1, 1904, in favor of Mrs. John Simons against H. A. and John Speer, et al. and returned to me by E. S. Stover, J. C. This the 1st day of February, 1904.

Also at the same time and place and upon the same terms and in the same manner as above, a tract of land in a certain ditch or water way known as the Williams and Van Dike ditch or water way that lies in Lumpkin county, Georgia, together with all rights and privileges in connection with the same that may be situated in Lumpkin county, Georgia. Levied on as the property of Frank L. Murray by virtue of a judgment of the Superior Court of Lumpkin county, Georgia, dated January 1, 1904, in favor of J. W. Noland, T. C. of Dahlonega, Ga. Very rods and returned to me by James Whelechel, L. C. This 1st day of February, 1904.

JAMES M. DAVIS, Sheriff.

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RUN a DAILY HACK LINE
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To Improve Old Fields.

Nearly all over the South old fields are seen. They are the result of a style of farming that was very general before the Civil War. While land was cheap and labor abundant it was considered far cheaper to clear lands and cultivate them continually until they became exhausted. They were then turned out on the commons and allowed to remain without any attempt for their restoration.

Since the new style of agriculture has come into practice in the South a good many farmers have gone to work to reclaim these old abandoned fields and to bring them into a condition of fertility sufficiently great to justify the expense of their cultivation. One of the best methods of reaping some profits from these old fields is to break them up and plant them in yellow locust, that in a few years will prove as remunerative as any portion of the farm. The rapidly growing demand for durable fencing posts leads one to the belief that every acre planted will within fifteen years yield a return of \$100 per acre. This is a big item, and it becomes still larger when we consider that the noble cedar forests of the South have become well nigh exhausted, and nothing will so well take their place as locust forests.

Another way of restoring them that may prove profitable is to sow them with scaly-bark hickorynuts. The trees will bear hickorynuts within fifteen years. The demand for second-growth hickory for bent work, buggy spokes, ax handles, etc., is continually increasing. In six or eight years after sowing these hickory groves might be thinned out and a large number of hoop-poles could be secured that would pay the cost of all the work that has been done.

But while all this profit may result, the largest profit would be in the renewal of fertility of the soil. Nothing will do so much to bring about this restoration as the subsoiling which the hickory roots would give the soil, and also the mulch which the hickory leaves would form upon the surface. Where the hickory sprouts come up thick upon the surfaces they will hold the leaves and not permit them to be swept away from off the land by the wind. This mulch would soon bring about a virgin fertility.

In the pine regions of the South an old field turned out soon becomes covered with young pine trees that grow up and protect its surface from the burning rays of the sun. The accumulation of pine straw upon the surface acts as a mulch, and in a few years the fertility of the soil will be partially restored.

Steps should be taken to rid the country of such evidences of unthrift and disregard for the primary principles of a successful agriculture as old fields. The South ought to have arbor days every year. There should be an intelligent movement in this direction, and the devastations that have been made in the past should be repaired. The soil is a machine that converts its plant-food into bread grains and grasses for the sustenance of man and beast. It produces the raw material for our clothing, and gives us the means whereby we may live. It indirectly feeds, clothes and shelters us, and such a machine requires to be carefully guarded, kept in good repair and in a working condition.—Southern Farm Magazine.

Having Some Fun.

"Now, boys, I will tell you how we can have some fun," said Frank to his playmates, who had come together one bright moonlight evening for sliding and snow-ball-

"What is it?" asked several at once.

"You will see," said Frank, "Who has a wood saw?"

"I have." "So have I," replied three of the boys.

"Get them, then, and you and Fred and Tom each get an ax, and I will get a shovel. Let's be back in ten minutes."

The boys all started to go on their several errands, each wondering of what use wood-saws and axes and shovels could be in play. But Frank was much liked by all the boys and they fully believed in what he said and they were soon together again.

"Now," said he, "Widow Brown, who lives in that little house, over there, has gone to sit up all night with a sick child.

"A man brought her some wood today, and I heard her tell him that, unless she got some one to saw it tonight, she would not have anything to make a fire with in the morning.

"Now we could saw and split that pile of wood just as easily as we could make a snow man or her door step, and when she comes home she will be greatly surprised."

One or two of the boys said they did not care to go, but most of them thought it would be fine fun.

It was not a long and tiresome job for seven strong and healthy boys to saw, split, and pile up the widow's half-cord of wood, and to shovel a good path.

When they had done this, so great was their pleasure that one of them, who had at first said he would not go, proposed that they should go to a carpenter shop near by, where plenty of shavings could be had, and that each should bring an armful.

They all agreed to do this, and when they had brought the shavings, they went to their several homes, more than pleased with the fun of the evening.

The next morning, when the tired widow returned from watching by the sick-bed and saw what was done, she was indeed surprised, and wondered who could have been so kind.

Afterward, when a friend told her how it was done, her earnest prayer, "God bless the boys!" was enough of itself to make them happy.

Mr. Elbert Patterson, the one-armed confederate soldier of New Bridge, has been awarded the contract of carrying the mail from that place to Dawsonville, commencing 1st of July. He carried it eight years at one time by subcontract. This time he gets it direct from the department under Mr. Tate's bill and receives more for it. Heretofore all the mail contracts in this county were let to non-residents companies. Now contractors have to live on the route. Our contractors get more for their work and it scatters much more money where it justly belongs.

T. J. Smith & Bro. have received their spring stock of clothing—the largest stock in Dahlonega. Don't place your order till you see their complete line of mens, boys and youths suits made to fit and the very latest styles. They come direct from the manufacturers and their prices are right—selling as cheap as Gainesville and Atlanta prices, or my other clothing house.

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W. P. PRICE, Jr.,
Dealer in
General Merchandise,
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FINE SHOES A SPECIALTY,

Life in the Country.

Young men in the country even now sometimes believe that they are placed at a disadvantage in the race of life compared with the young men of the city. They regard the isolation of country life, with its limited mental vision and its deprivation of many social enjoyments, as almost intolerable. But it should be remembered that their immediate contact with nature, its green fields and great forest, and beautiful streams and sometimes great mountains is an education in itself and an ample compensation for the loss of the quietude of the city, the delights of the theater, the charm of the clubs, the inspiration of the lyceum, the pleasant whirlpools of society and the instructive entertainment of the museums.

But for all these seeming deprivations the young men of the country enjoy advantages which, in many respects, are superior to those which the young men in the city enjoy. Their very isolation leads them to habits of careful reading and thought, which will bear fruit in the future that will be lasting and profitable. They do not see so many external objects, but the domain of the intellect is rendered more luminous by original thoughts.—Ex.

Anderson & Jones have one of the best lines of clothing ever brought to Dahlonega—best patterns and latest cuts—up to date goods in every respect. Notwithstanding the advance in prices they bought at last years figures which enables them to make their prices right. For cash you can get goods at and below Gainesville and Atlanta prices, but you need not expect them to sell you goods as cheap on account of having the work done at the house they buy all their clothing, besides having your suit made and returned in five to eight days from the time it is ordered.

The following is from a Texas editor, whose name we do not know:—"The sorriest cuss on earth is the cuss who will sit around and curse his town. If we lived astride the north pole we would call it home and would be ready to boast it up. If we couldn't say anything else good about it, we would say that our ice bill didn't come high. We wouldn't live in a town we had to curse while the world is as big as it is now.

CITY DIRECTORY SUPERIOR COURT.

3rd Mondays in April and October
Rev. J. J. Higginbotham, Judge, Cleveland, Ga. W. A. Charlton, Solicitor General, Dahlonega, Ga.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

John Huff, Ordinary.
John H. Moore, Clerk.
James M. Davis Sheriff.
E. J. Walden, Tax Collector.
James L. Healan, Tax Receiver.
W. R. Hix, County Surveyor.
Joseph B. Brown, Treasurer.
D. C. Stow, Coroner.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

R. H. Baker, Mayor.

Aldermen: E. S. Strickland, J.

E. McGee, W. B. Townsend, E. B.

Vickery, T. J. Smith, W. P. Price, Jr.

Wm. J. Worley, Clerk.

Geo. W. Walker, Marshal.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

Baptist Church—Rev. W. C.

Taylor, Pastor. Services Sunday at 11 and at night. Prayer meeting Thursday night.

Sunday School at 9 o'clock.

Methodist—Services every Sunday at 11 and at night. Rev. J. D.

Turner, Pastor. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night.

Sunday School at 9 o'clock.

Presbyterians—Services only on 1st and 3rd Sundays.

D. J. Blackwell, pastor.

Sunday School 9 a.m.

Not Fatal.

No Matter What Doctors Say—We Know That Heart Trouble in Many Cases Can Be Cured.

There are seven main features of heart disease, viz.: (1) Weakness or Debility; (2) Rheumatism or Neuralgia; (3) Nervousness; (4) Indigestion; (5) Enlargement; (6) Fatty Degeneration; (7) Diabetes, etc., etc. These diseases are called "incurable" have been absolutely cured by Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure.

Patients often have no idea of their disease as being trouble, but merely if do Indigestion, Liver Complaint, etc.

Here are some of the symptoms: Shortness of breath after exercise, Snoring, Sudden pain in Chest, left Shoulder and arm. Discomfort in lying on one side. Fainting Spells. Nervous Cough. Swelling of Feet and Ankles. Loss of appetite and weight. Palpitation. Nightmares. Irritable Pulse.

"I have great faith in Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure and speak of its merits from personal experience. I am now 60 years old and have not hardly walk one block. I have been riding a mule still in good health. The Heart Cure is the greatest medicine that I have ever known. DR. MILES' NEW HEART CURE, 1000, P. O., 907 North Pine St., Natchez, Miss.

Money back if first bottle fails to benefit.

FREE Write us and we will mail you a copy of "Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure," co-called "Miracle," the New Heart Cure. It contains a blank for you to fill in, and a blank for our specialist to diagnose your case and tell you what to do. Write us and we will mail you a copy of "Dr. Miles' Medical Co. Laboratories, Elkhart, Ind."

THE NUGGET.

DAHLONEGA, FEB. 25, 1904.

Entered at the Dahlonega, Ga., P. O.
as Second Class Matter.

Official Organ of both City and
County.

More new announcements this
week.

One rural mail delivery has re-
cently been established in Chero-
kee county.

Hon. Martin V. Calvin of Rich-
mond, author of the vagrancy law,
will be a candidate for re-election.

A mistake has been discovered
in the Georgia map, being in the
boundary line between Macon and
Dooly counties.

Hon. W. J. Bryan spoke in At-
lanta one night last week. He is
no prospective candidate for presi-
dent he says, but seems highly in
favor of W. R. Hearst, and still
clings to silver.

Perel county has made another
deposit of \$1,490 in the Dawson
National Bank at 4 per cent. The
county has been lending money for
several years, something that was
never done before in the history of
the state.

Heaven's gates will open as
wide for the man who goes from a
puncheon seat in a little log hut
says the Cobb County Courier, as
for one who goes from a velvet
cushion in a hundred thousand dol-
lar sanctuary.

Russia says she cannot take the
space contracted for at St. Louis
exposition, whereupon Japan comes
to the front and says that
she will take all of Russia's space,
is what the Columbus Enquirer
says about it.

Hon. Mark Hanna, the great rep-
ublican leader, was buried at
Cleveland, Ohio, last Friday. He
was greatly admired by his coun-
trymen regardless of his political
affiliations, and is a missing link in
his party that will be hard to fill.

For a while every time a negro
was lynched in the south for his
mean conduct some of the hot-
headed members of congress would
just rear in their stirrups. But
after negroes commenced lynching
their own race nothing more is
heard from that end of the line.

A Georgia exchange very cor-
rectly says: "If the rural school
problem in this section of the
country is to be solved, it will be
largely through the agency of good
roads. There is nothing that improves attendance upon
rural schools more than improved
highways."

Bibb county's authorities are
now considering a proposition to
use female convicts on a farm
somewhat after the manner of the
state penitentiary system. The
idea is to make the women convicts
work in a truck garden so as to
raise vegetables, etc., for the im-
mates of the county poorhouse.

Hon. J. T. Witzel of Fannin,
Hon. M. L. Ledford of Union,
and Hon. M. S. Cornett of Gwin-
nett, are the ninth district mem-
bers of the State Democratic ex-
ecutive committee that meets in
Atlanta on the 29th for the pur-
pose of fixing the date for holding
the State Democratic convention.

At Columbus, Ga., last week at
a special term of court, Will Hun-
ton, a negro, was sentenced to 20
years in the penitentiary. The
week previous he attempted to
criminally assault the little twelve-
year-old girl of Mr. Burton while
she was returning from school. For
this charge he entered a plea of guilty and was given the full
extent of the law. While they were escorting the negro back to jail by 25 officers armed with Win-
chesters, Mr. Burton attempted to
break through the guard and kill
the negro. It took four policemen
to handle him. Mr. Burton no
doubt had the sympathy of every
officer but they had to save the
negro's life. The mulatto was called
out till the negro could be put on
the train for Atlanta.

The Republican Meeting.

The republicans of Lumpkin
county held a mass meeting in
Dahlonega last Saturday for the
purpose of electing delegates to
the state district conventions,
with B. F. Anderson in the chair
and A. N. Asbury, secretary, who
held their offices for the next two
years.

B. F. Anderson and C. W. Satterfield
were elected delegates to the
state convention and J. A. Anderson and W. M. Ash, alter-

The Baltimore fire will cause
the insurance companies to have to
pay \$81,095,132.

Four of Americas trained nurses
have gone to Japan to help
care for the sick and wounded.

We understand that Judge Huff
will not stand for re-election to
the office of ordinary.

Many of the Pike county, Ga.,
farmers have already bargained
their cotton crop to be raised this
year at from 11 to 12½ cents per
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It is alleged that G. G. Strange,
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the Manufacturers' Record, that
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vote for him and didn't care to go
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as white delegates.

RESOLVED, 1st, We endorse the
administration of President Roose-
velt and approve of his dealings
with the Panama canal and deem
his action in the same brilliant
wise and patriotic, and we furthermore
pledge him our hearty support.

RESOLVED, 2nd, That we have
perfect confidence in the honesty
and integrity of Walter H. John-
son, and we instruct our delegates
to the state convention to vote for
him as chairman of the state
central committee, and we favor the
election of W. A. Johnson, Maj.
Hanson, R. D. Lock and H. P.
Farrow as delegates from the state
at large to the national conven-
tion that meets in Chicago. And
we further instruct our delegates to
the district convention to vote for
W. H. C. Tate and A. J. Spence,
as delegates to the national
convention and for the Hon. H.
P. Farrow as chairman of the ex-
ecutive convention of the Ninth
Congressional District.

The committee on revising the
republican executive committee of
Lumpkin county reports as follows:

Auraria—B. H. Brackett, Wash
Grizzley, Cane Creek—H. S. Duckett, Barrie Lance, Chester-
field, Jenkins, Dahlonega—W. J.
Hightower, W. H. C. Tate, Davis—
B. E. Edwards, Dal Lance, Frog
Town—D. W. Caldwell, Wil-
lie Grindle, Hightower—Joseph
McDonald, Jake Satterfield,
Jones' Creek—Jack Turner, Mart
Lingerfeld, Mill Creek—L. C.
Saine, Ed Corn, Nimblewill—
Mat Whenton, F. W. Waters,
Martin's Ford—A. J. Adams,
John Poore, Porter Springs—J.
M. Duckett, W. M. Ash, Shoal
Creek— Jasper Evans, W. H.
Smith, Wahoo—James A. Aber-
crombie, Yahoola—W. W. Ash,
J. A. Anderson.

Committee at large: Joseph
Ridley, W. B. Jones, L. M. Wells,
J. E. Tate.

B. F. ANDERSON, Chairman.
A. N. ASBURY, Secretary.

Mr. J. A. Howard says he is
thinking about running for ordi-

In Chicago a hotel and another
theatre was burned Monday and
three persons lost their lives.

Don't sit on the fence any longer.
Come to the democrats or go to
the republicans. There are good
men on both sides.

A crank, having a big pistol and
a box of cartridges, tried to get
into the white house last Monday
morning where the president was.

We are informed that the men
who went over across the Blue
Ridge in search of mica recently,
found some blockade liquor of
which they used to such an extent
as to put them in a condition to be
robbed of more than a hundred
dollars. It is useless to say that
they left out and no mica land will
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cans don't permit anyone but
men of their "faith and order" to
take any hand in their meetings,
and the democrats ought not to.
In other words, there should be no
middle men. The time has come
when every man should be on one
side or the other—not be allowed to
play shut mouth till they get hunk-
ering for office and then claim to be
democrats just before the primary.
There are too many men in this
county like the guineas. You
can't tell the hen from the rooster
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It is estimated that at least
\$350,000,000 in cash has been put
into the southern planters' pockets
this year by the rise in the price of
cotton.

Mr. John Jarrard's child, which
was burned to death in Hall
county at least a month ago, was
reported by some of the daily
newspaper correspondents last
week as "having occurred yester-
day."

A Gainesville negro, Jesse Pool,
went to church in that city a few
Sundays ago, well cocked and primed.
The result was five cases
made against him, to wit: Disturbing
divine worship; carrying
concealed weapons; carrying
pistol to place of worship; carrying
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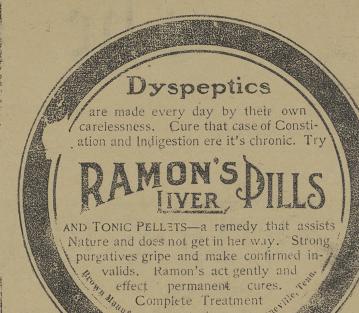
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A dispatch from New York says
the price of diamonds will roar
skyward. This won't trouble
country editors in the least.

The war still continues, result-
ing in the Japs getting the best of
the encounter on every occasion so
far.

Claude H. Troutman, the cash-
ier of the Merchants' and Far-
mers' Bank of Milledgeville, who
shot himself first of last week with
suicidal intent, died within a few
days afterwards.

Twenty years ago this offer was actually made and a few wise
ones bought. The masses thought the price too high and missed

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Dr. Herbert G. Torrey, of the United States Treasury Depart-
ment, Prof. S. W. Van Syckel, the Eminent New York Expert, Prof.
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This is not a prospect, but a developed mine with its own power
and mill ready for operation; money enough in the treasury to com-
mence work, but more needed to greatly enlarge the mill and install
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for a few weeks, after which the price advances, as the mill will soon
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Local News.

Onion sets and all kinds of garden seeds at John H. Moore's.

A regular daily schedule from Dahlonega to Stay by Wild commenced last Tuesday.

Mr. H. L. Mote moved from this county to Jackson last week. The NUGGET follows him.

Plenty of forth coming bonds at this office. Come or send for a supply when you need any.

The rain of last Thursday raised the streams in this section more than they have been in many months.

Jim Lingerfelt is now in jail, charged with operating an illicit distillery, who will be tried as soon as the witnesses come in.

Postmaster Ash of Walnut, informs us that he is not to blame for out subscribers not getting their papers at his office. He says the trouble is some where else.

Mrs. Strickland has just received a lot of perals, embroidery, laces, corsets, hose, ready made skirts, etc., and is offering a lot of hats, jackets and capes at a bar gain.

Ted Satterfield of White county, was brought in by Marshal Grunze last Thursday, and bound over by Com. Baker on two charges: owning and operating an illicit distillery.

What every producer wants and hunts for: prompt, honest returns. Write to Ed. & Dabney, Wholesale Groceries, Importers and Commission Merchants, 89 S. Street, Atlanta, Ga.

On Thursday night last some one broke the street lamp in front of the Baptist church with a rock. The city council offers ten dollars reward with sufficient proof to convict the guilty party.

Bob Daniels and Henry Edmonson were both fined a dollar and each by Mayor Baker last week. Bob had been wanting to fight, and Henry had been taking on too much corn juice.

Dr. Whelchel, who has been in New York for three weeks, writes us that it is very cold up there. It is pretty severe on a southerner to leave a mild climate and go that far north at this season of the year. The Doctor is expected home next Tuesday.

Complaint was made last week about the Atlanta Journals not getting here on time. No wonder, when the package was sent to more than half a dozen different offices before it was put on the right track for Dahlonega.

Mr. Ingram, that whole-souled, big hearted commercial drummer from North Carolina, who occasionally finds his way to Dahlonega, spent a few days here last week supplying our merchants with choice spring goods.

It looks very much like the bondsmen of McDonald in Jackson county, who recently bid off the upper Dahlonega and Gainesville mail route, for less than he could carry it, even if he did live on the line, are going to lose some money. If the government relets it the bondsmen will have to pay all over his bid, which may be several hundred dollars, and if they let it out themselves they will lose some, for no one can carry it at McDonald's bid. Yet this is the best and cheapest way for the bondsmen to get out of it.

Mr. J. M. Ricketts, who visited Dawsonville a few days ago, relates something he saw in the possession of Mr. Boon of that place, which is very strange. It is a piece of plank taken from an old house in that town where a bloody fight occurred many years ago between two men. One of the men put his bloody hand up on the wall, and that part with even the finger prints, is as sound today as it was at the time it occurred, while all the rest of the piece of plank is decayed. In other words, it is a piece of plank just the shape of a man's hand.

Mrs. J. C. Brittain went down to Gainesville last Tuesday.

The measles are troubling the citizens up in Cane Creek district now.

Postmaster Tate went up into White county this week on political business.

Madison Thomas killed a mad dog up in Chestee district Sunday before last.

Mr. Dock Nixon, who used to live in Dahlonega, is now city marshal at Blue Ridge, Ga.

Mr. Fate Edge and Miss Hattie Englund were wedded on the 18th, Both of this county.

Tuesday and yesterday were a beautiful that the birds gave us a few spring songs.

The green house to be built up at the college, 16x24, 4 feet high, was bid off last Tuesday by Mr. Boyd Gurley.

Although it is a violation of law to furnish minors cigarettes, persons here are selling them to even shirt tail boys.

There will be two vacancies in the board of education in this county at the spring term of Lumpkin Superior court.

I have 500 thrifty Elberta peach trees capable of bearing 1906. I will sell in quantities to suit purchaser at 6 cents each. Call on J. J. Seay, Tate, Ga.

Beef cattle are so scarce in this section that Mr. John Moore went down to Gainesville this week and made arrangements with a gentleman there to buy cattle and send to him.

The letter written to us by a gentleman at Tate, Ga., on January the 22nd has never been received yet. It is only a short distance from Dahlonega and a letter ought to come through not later than two days.

We understand that Mr. J. M. Brooksher, who has been off down the country selling stock, will be home this week. It is believed by some that Mr. Brooksher will enter the race for the legislature in this county.

The other day, out in the country, Ed. Anderson left his team standing hitched to a wagon when it became frightened and ran for half a mile, striking a tree, injuring one of the animals so badly that it is likely dead by this time.

Col. Price went down to Atlanta Monday to attend the educational convention that convened in this city this week. The Colonel takes great interest in educational matters and never lets an opportunity slip in being present on an occasion like this where he thinks he can learn something that will be of interest to the public.

All indebted to Anderson & Jones will please done forward and settle at once as we cannot wait longer. If you fail to attend to it and find your note or account in the hands of an officer don't think hard of us for we have given you ample warning.

ANDERSON & JONES

It is said that some boys frequently stay out from school in the woods and smoke cigarettes. If the principal would make out a monthly report for all parents and give the number of days their children attend they could be caught up. Then if the parents would bring in to use a three foot width the attendance would be greater.

Yesterday morning, one of Mr. G. McGuire's sons who sleeps over his father's store, woke up and found his room full of smoke. He woke his father and it was not long before the fire was located under the stove in the store room. The fire had burnt a hole through the floor and was making a considerable blaze, which was soon extinguished by a few close neighbors without giving any alarm. The boy had tin under it but was so near the heater that it didn't prevent the floor underneath from catching. Else it caught from a box containing saw dust in which a boy the night before threw the stump of a cigarette.

Go and see T. J. Smith & Bro's new large lot of spring clothing just received.

Judge Huff has returned from Atlanta with the money for the pensioners of this county.

If you wish to do a prosperous business advertise in THE NUGGET and rise of mornings earlier than 8 o'clock.

The Signal appeared last Sunday for the first time in four weeks under its new management, reduced in size.

Auraria has been alive with Western men this week. Some 25 have been looking over the mines in that section for several days.

The paymaster of the Crown Mountain Gold Mining Co. came around last Monday and made every one having business with him have a pleasant look.

Our old friend and patron, Mr. J. P. Lilly of Dawson county, came up on a visit to his relatives here last Saturday, in company with his wife.

The question is: Why do some of our miners take their gold away from Dahlonega to sell it when they can dispose of it right here at home?

Although this is leap year there are three negro "gals" in Dahlonega who are going to get into trouble by their frequent calls at a certain place in town, and likely causes others some.

Yahoola has had another wedding. Mr. Joseph Seabolt and Miss Vada Anderson, a daughter of Mr. Ens Anderson, being the contracting parties, which occurred last Friday night.

Solicitor General Charters and Col. O. J. Lilly of Dahlonega, are attending Rabun Superior court this week. Col. Lilly is assisting Col. Charters, who is generally crowded with business up there.

Although our weather chart was marked off for a clear day last Sunday, it began raining in the morning and continued all day and the following night, causing miners, being short of water, to wear a pleasant smile.

When you visit Gainesville stop at Mrs. C. M. McAfee's boarding house, located on Washington street, on car line, opposite Singer Machine Co. Good rooms and good fare, and prices as reasonable as can be had in Gainesville.

Mr. M. J. Williams of Dahlonega, recently awarded the contract of carrying the mail from Dahlonega to Wier, Ga., beginning the first of July, has been notified that the extension of four miles to Amicalola, left off in the contract, will be added and the mail will continue to Amicalola as heretofore.

Our old friend, Uncle Kimsey Bearden of Randa, was in Dahlonega a short while last Monday. We always like to see this old gentleman come, for he has a pleasant smile for every one he meets. He came in to sell some bacon. Of course he does not live in the stock law section. If he did he would have his meat to buy.

Now all you timid people are requested to hold your breath so your modesty will not be shocked until we can give you a little bit of news. For the first time since we can remember a woman's illegitimate child has become chargeable to the county. It is the duty of the ordinary and Justice of the Peace to force the mother to tell under oath whose its father. This she refuses to do, and all that can be done is to put her in jail where she can be fed and cared for at the expense of the county 30 days—this is the extent of the law. She is an industrious woman who will be able to work for herself and child in less than this time, and they have decided to let her go, as it will be less expense to the county. Now when you get to talking about this poor woman bear in mind that there are some of the "highest flyers" that are just as guilty as she is but have been more fortunate in hiding their shame from the public.

Mr. William Vaughn left for Gainesville yesterday.

D. N. F. Howard says now is the time to plant nuts, fruit and shade trees.

Mr. J. R. Thomas has purchased H. H. Thomas' house and lot in Dahlonega.

Mr. Ashley, who got his foot sprained the other day, is able to be out on his crutches.

Mr. Davis Carder of Hall and Miss Sarah Grindle of this county, were wedded on the 22nd.

The board of education of this county, has fixed the pay of teachers same as last year: \$20, \$25 and \$30 per month.

Farmers are receiving 75 cents per bushel for corn and from one sixty-five to two dollars per hundred for fodder.

There is a little more room on our subscription book for a few additional subscribers. Come before the rug begins. Bring the cash. This is what it takes to bring meat and bread to a printstable and cause joy and prosperity in the household.

Sheriff Davis went out on the far edge of Dawson county last week, in company with Mr. Will Rice, and arrested Will Moto and Frank Gables, both charged with an affray. Gables made bond and Moto was brought and lodged in Lumpkin county jail.

Adolphus Sullins, one of the members of the republican executive committee of Lumpkin county, appointed two years ago, was not on hand at last Saturday's meeting. It is a true saying that time brings about many changes. Adolphus was always on hand before, although he draws a state pension for services said to be rendered in the confederate army during the Civil war. This man got no office, nor even the promise of any, for his heretofore prompt attention, yet he made a little at it by gaining the confidence of the chairman of the county committee enough to be able to get a whole lot of goods on time, giving him an order on Judge Huff for the money when it was received, and afterwards left for Jackson county and made a new claim out against the state.

Harris Postell, who was sentenced to the chain gang twelve months at the last term of Lumpkin Superior court and sent to the camp of Betz & Co., was brought back by one of their guard last Friday afternoon and turned over to the sheriff after having served only about four months. The company didn't want him, because his severe burns received some two years ago, rendered him unable to do manual labor. In addition to this the Betz & Co. had sixty or seventy five dollars charged up, which they wanted Sheriff Davis or the county to pay them for the prisoner's board and expenses of bringing him back. This was not done and the guard returned to his home saying the company would commence suit for the money. If they do we have no idea that it will amount to anything, for not one has the county or officers received for Postell. When Sheriff Davis met the company's guard in Atlanta with Postell soon after he was sentenced, the former took him and turned over a draft on an Atlanta bank for \$100, but before the sheriff called for the money the company after seeing the prisoner's unsound condition, telegraphed the bank not to pay off the draft, at the same time notifying the sheriff that Postell was there at his disposal, who refused to act in the matter, explaining why the prisoner was returned. As soon as the matter was presented to Ordinary Huff he telephoned to Judge Kinsey, asking him what to do with Postell who was then in jail. Judge Kinsey directed Ordinary Huff to draw an order discharging the unfortunate man from custody. Sunday morning sheriff Davis brought Postell out from jail, and the prisoner thinking he was going to be carried to some other camp, made a break and such running as he did till getting to the woods, has never been heard of before.

Work will be resumed at Crown Mountain Gold Mine next week,

so Superintendent W. W. Crisson informs us, and it is hoped that it will be able to run continuously until the Gorge is completed. The Crown Mountain mills capacity is 300 tons every 24 hours and there is enough ore in the mountain to supply it and keep it running on full time for years provided arrangements are made to wash the ore down more conveniently to the mill, which is likely to be done later on, as 300 tons of ore cannot be gotten to the mill under the present arrangements that we can see, on account of the lengthy tramway. When the mill starts to run on full time then the stockholders will soon begin to see some of the yellow metal coming their way.

Mr. Ewin of New York City, is here for the purpose of looking over and testing all the Consolidated Gold Mining Co.'s property to see if it can be worked profitably by the smelting process to any advantage, and he will see which property, if any, belonging to the company, contains copper. Then it is the intention of the owners to put up a plant, provided Mr. Ewin's report is favorable. The company already has a \$50,000 chlorination plant here but it is too expensive to operate. Ore in some places is being handled by the smelting as cheap as 80 cents per ton, and it is said that a plant

Mining Notes.

Since the rains our mining interests are looking up.

Mr. Ashley resorted work at the Henry Lee mine last Tuesday.

The work of taking out ore at the Jumbo still continues. They have a great deal already out and it is fine.

A new large vein of ore has been discovered down on the Standard Co.'s property. It is just a short distance above the Tahleka shaft. The vein measures eight feet across and shows gold.

The Briar Patch Mine has been visited by many Western gentlemen this week and each one was soon convinced after a careful examination that this is as fine gold mining property as can be found anywhere.

Wm. Dotson, one of the oldest deposit miners in this country, is still keeping the pick and shovel moving, together with his boy, with good results. For the last ten or fifteen years this old miner has been digging gold on and near the Ivey property. He is now at work on a lot owned by Mr. Frank Moore and the Standard Syndicate Co.

Operations will begin at the Shad mine, belonging to the Standard Co., under the supervision of Mr. Wm. Campbell right away. No work has been done by the company for some time owing to the scarcity of water, but since the considerable rainfall of last week it is hoped this mine will be able to keep up work continuously when it begins.

The whistle of the dredge boat at Ingerson & Crisson seems to blow much keener and louder than usual over in the Chestatee river. They struck new gravel last week that is very fine. Heretofore, we are told, old gravel never yielded less than eight ounces a week, and the biggest clean up was eighteen pennyweights a week. This gives you an idea of what they are doing in the way of mining.

Mr. C. M. Ferguson, residing near Dahlonega, who owns property containing kaolin, should feel very much encouraged after reading the dispatch from Graniteville, S. C., stating that the United States Steel Corporation has purchased from Dr. J. J. McMillan, for \$55,000, deposits of kaolin on the old Riley McCarty place, about two and a half miles from Aiken, S. C. The deposits were slightly worked ten years ago and what clay was then shipped brought a fine price in Northern markets.

Work will be resumed at Crown Mountain Gold Mine next week, so Superintendent W. W. Crisson informs us, and it is hoped that it will be able to run continuously until the Gorge is completed. The Crown Mountain mills capacity is 300 tons every 24 hours and there is enough ore in the mountain to supply it and keep it running on full time for years provided arrangements are made to wash the ore down more conveniently to the mill, which is likely to be done later on, as 300 tons of ore cannot be gotten to the mill under the present arrangements that we can see, on account of the lengthy tramway. When the mill starts to run on full time then the stockholders will soon begin to see some of the yellow metal coming their way.

Mr. Ewin of New York City, is here for the purpose of looking over and testing all the Consolidated Gold Mining Co.'s property to see if it can be worked profitably by the smelting process to any advantage, and he will see which property, if any, belonging to the company, contains copper. Then it is the intention of the owners to put up a plant, provided Mr. Ewin's report is favorable. The company already has a \$50,000 chlorination plant here but it is too expensive to operate. Ore in some places is being handled by the smelting as cheap as 80 cents per ton, and it is said that a plant

can be put up twice the capacity of the company's chlorination plant for \$10,000.

I have 500 acres, mineral interest, to sell or lease to good parties 8 miles west of Dahlonega, Ga. Can wash gravel from surface on the hill sides or branches. For further information write or call on J. J. Seay, Tate, Ga.

Old Mrs. Mary Grizzel, who we have mentioned in these columns heretofore as having been deserted by her son and other relatives, and left at the mercy of the world, died in Dahlonega last Saturday night. Before the old lady expired she requested to be buried in the Dahlonega cemetery, dressed in a white robe with blue ribbon about the neck, and that Revs. J. E. Blackburn and W. H. McAfee preach her funeral. Judge Huff had to leave for Atlanta on Monday to draw the pension money, but he left instructions for the request to be carried out, expenses to be paid by the county.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR ORDINARY.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Ordinary of Lumpkin county, subject to the Democratic primary, believing that I can conduct the affairs of the office to the satisfaction of the people, and promising to discharge the duties of the office if elected, to the very best of my ability. I earnestly ask the support of the voters in my behalf.

Respectfully,

W. J. Womack.

FOR TAX COLLECTOR.

To the voters of Lumpkin county: I am a candidate for re-election to the office of Tax collector, subject to the Democratic primary, and respectfully ask the support of all. Thanking each and every one for their assistance in the past. I remain Most respectfully,

E. J. Walden.

FOR TAX RECEIVER.

To the voters of Lumpkin county: I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Tax Receiver, subject to the Democratic primary.

Respectfully,

C. R. Ono.

FOR TAX COLLECTOR.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Tax Collector of Lumpkin county, subject to the Democratic primary. It is my intention to visit each precinct during the campaign and interview the voters as to my claims for the office.

Respectfully,

CHARLES F. McAFFEE.

FOR CLERK.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Clerk of the Superior Court of Lumpkin county, subject to the Democratic primary.

Respectfully,

FRANK L. Hause.

I take this method of announcing to the people of Lumpkin county my self as a candidate for Clerk of the Superior Court, subject to the Democratic primary. Thanking all for their support in the past. I am very respectfully,

R. M. Bayley.

I am a candidate before the Democratic primary for Representative of Lumpkin county in the next General Assembly of Georgia. I will appreciate your support, and promise you if elected I will do my full duty as your representative. I will appreciate it if you give me your support and influence.

Respectfully,

W. S. Huff.

I am a candidate for Representative of Lumpkin county in the next General Assembly of the State of Georgia, subject to the Democratic primary, and earnestly seek the support of the voters.

Respectfully,

CARL SHULL.

FOR SHERIFF.

I am a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Lumpkin county, subject to the coming Democratic primary. If again elected I promise to fill the office in the future with the same fidelity as I have in the past. Thanking the voters for past favor and earnestly soliciting your support in the coming primary. I am

Respectfully,

J. M. Davis.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the Democratic primary, and solicit the kind consideration of the voters, and all may be assured that their aid will be greatly appreciated.

Respectfully,

W. T. Ward.

FOR TREASURER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Treasurer of Lumpkin county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

J. A. Hollifield.

Took the Old Man's Advice.

The proprietor of one of the principal firms in Birmingham had remarked that his head clerk for whom he had a real liking, had for some reason fallen into a melancholy state, and, though he tried his best, he could not find out what was the matter with the young man. One day, at last, the sufferer owned that he was in love.

"Well, marry her," said the chief.

"Oh, but," here the young man nearly broke down, "she belongs to one of the best families in the town—the parents will never consent."

"Pooh! Your position is good, your name honorable; they won't refuse. I will demand the girl for you. Does she love you?"

"Yes, but it's no use; her parents won't listen."

"Well, then, clope with her. Do I know the girl?"

"Yes; she will be at your ball next Tuesday."

"Now, listen to me," said the employer. "Leave the ball quietly with her. Joseph, my coachman, will wait for you at the door and drive you to the station. He will ask you no questions. When you are out of the way I will see the father and settle everything for you."

"Is that really your advice?" gleefully exclaimed the youth. "Do you want me to do it?"

"Yes, I command you to do it. Now, cheer up."

The next day the clerk proposed the plan to his sweetheart who made some objections at first, but, overcome by his reasons, she said at last:

"Well, if he really means it, I must obey."

What was the general stupefaction when, after the ball, the daughter was missing!

"Mad fool that I was," exclaimed the enraged parent; "it was my own fault."

The next day he wrote: Come back; all will be forgiven."

The Man You Should Meet With a Smile.

The candidates for the various offices are announcing. Prospects look real encouraging for a very large field. So more it be. There is no individual more cheering, or turns his "money loose" more freely than the sun-burnt, happy-souled apostle for office. He is due, and should have a fair, unbiased hearing before the entire populace. Meet him with a smile; cheer him on and wish him God's speed, is not good luck for the office to which he is aspiring. God bless the candidate—we've been one, and we know the encouragement that a poor individual needs at times.—McKinney Gazette.

India's Beasts and Serpents.

Last year tigers killed 1,040 persons in India, sixty-five having been killed in one district alone. More than 30,000 cattle were killed by tigers, while panthers and leopards killed at least as many more. Money was paid out for the destruction of 4,418 leopards and 1,331 tigers. Wild rupedas were credited with killing 8,651 persons. Poisonous snakes killed 23,163.

Newspaper advertising costs you too much when you try it today and stop it tomorrow. So would clerks cost you too much if you hired them for a day now and then. Same with delivery wagons. The wheels of your business must never stop; and the whole machinery is out of gear unless the big advertising wheel is always turning.—Tampa Tribune.

One firm in Fayetteville, N. C., slaughtered during one week recently 15,000 turkeys on a New York order. The turkeys were brought in droves of from 300 to 500 from many points in the surrounding country and went through the hands of about forty employees, picking on an average 1500 fowls in ten hours.

Cure For the Talking Habit.

One part horse sense and two parts of manly determination to keep still. Mix well with an unlimited amount of the best quality of thought. It is impossible for a woman to talk all the time without saying a lot of things that she shouldn't or without proving a jolly bore to everybody about her. This talking habit is not confined entirely to women, though. Some men have the affliction terribly. Sometimes it's wheat, sometimes it's chess, sometimes it's baseball. A steady diet of one kind conversation is always tiresome. Take a nibble of this and a nibble of that, and your chatter will be more interesting, particularly if there's plenty of rests between nibbles. Talking improves when there's silence by way of contrast.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Our life may be food to us, or may, if we have it so, be poison, but one or the other it must be. Whichever and whatever it is, beyond all doubt, it is eminently real. So merely as the day and the night alternately follow one another, does every day when it passes into dawn, bear with it its own tale of the results which it has silently wrought upon each of us for evil or for good. The day of diligence, duty and devotion leaves it richer than it found us, richer sometimes, and even commonly, in our circumstances; richer always in ourselves.

A little blind girl was writing a composition on the rabbit and, never having seen one, inquired of her teacher whether the rabbit had a tail. "Yes, a small one, but none to speak of," answered the teacher. The little girl a short while after introduced the matter into her composition thus: "The rabbit has a small tail, but you mustn't talk about it."

There are 191 nurseries in Georgia, containing more than 10,000,000 trees as follows: Peach, 8,370,000; apple, 990,000; pecan, 788,000; plum, 215,000; pear, 22,000; cherry, 40,000; grape, 15,000; China, 7,000; Mulberry, 6,000. The number of nurseries has increased eighty-three in one year.

The editor of a local paper in a small Kansan town has been blowing his annual call to this effect: "We are going over our books, and if this paper is being received by any person dead since Jan. 1, they will confer a great favor by notifying us at once."

FARM FOR SALE.

Three miles north of Dahlonega, on Cooper Gap road, I own an upland farm of one hundred and forty acres, with forty acres in cultivation, upon which grow cotton, tobacco, hundred fruit trees, six hundred and fifty feet of pecan and English walnuts, from three to ten years old. Then 70 apple trees. Over three hundred peach trees, and similar fruit surface trees. On the south side of the surface there are 778 acres not prospected. Also on S48, on the east line of that lot a gold vein crosses and has been opened and cut out interest in 88 mine. Also a fine show of veins 108 miles to the ravines of lots 778 and 838. Also those two lots fine indications of deposit of kaolin and iron veins on property. If these veins were all opened, exposed and properly prepared, this property would be worth twelve hundred to two thousand dollars.

N. F. HOWARD,
Dahlonega, Ga.

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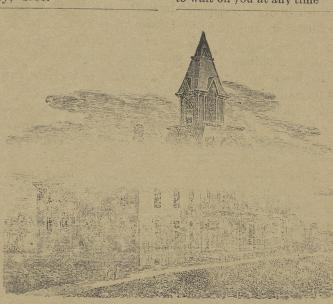
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Georgia, Lumpkin County.
Will be sold before the Court House door of the County of Lumpkin on the 1st Tuesday in March next, within the legal hours of sale to the highest bidder for cash, the following property, to-wit:

1 pair of dark mouse colored mare muzzles, standing on the property of T. H. Sullens, said to be in a stall found in the possession of said T. H. Sullens & a saddle bay horse and three mams more or less of a tract of land lying and joining in the 12th District, Dahlonega, Georgia. Dahlonega Lumpkin County, Georgia, bounded as follows: On the north and east by the lands of F. M. Whelchel, on the south by the lands of James Brown and on the west by the lands of A. B. Whelchel. Leived on as the property of A. B. Whelchel, by virtue of and to satisfy a f. i. f. issued from the Superior Court of Lumpkin County in favor of A. B. Whelchel, trustee against A. E. Sullens as principal and John Sullens, A. B. Sullens, J. W. Hulsey, D. H. Hulsey, T. H. Adams, T. H. Sullens and A. B. Whelchel as security, and A. B. Whelchel as endorser. This the 1st day of February, 1904.

Also at the same time and place and under the direction of lots of land numbers 425 and 416, one-half of lot 417 and five-eighths of lot 415. All in the 12th District and First Section of Lumpkin County, Georgia. Leived on as the property of William Stover, by virtue of and to satisfy a f. i. f. issued from the Justice's Court of the 23rd District, M. J. Stover, agent in favor of Mrs. John Stover, wife of George H. Ash and William Spencer. Levy made and returned to me by E. S. Stover, L. C. on the 1st day of February, 1904.

Also at the same time and place and upon the same terms, all that part of a certain ditch or water way known as the Williams and Van Vleck ditch or water way, lying in the Lumpkin County, Georgia, together with all rights of way and other easements in connection with the same that may be situated in Lumpkin County, Georgia. Leived on as the property of Mr. L. L. Murray by virtue of and to satisfy a f. i. f. issued for state and county taxes due the state of Georgia and county of Lumpkin by the sheriff and constable of Murray for the year 1903 issued by E. W. Watson, Clerk of Lumpkin County. Levy made and returned to me by James Whelchel, L. C. This 1st day of February, 1904.
JAMES M. DAVIS, Sheriff.

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